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MR. DZURENDA: Good morning. My name is James 2 Dzurenda. I'm the director of the Department of Corrections.

3 To my right I have Ralph Wagner. He's the chief engineer for 4 the department.

What I plan to go over today, I would first like 6 to -- We are asking and looking in to our list for 178 7 different CIP projects for 2021. But I'll explain a lot of

8 the differences that have happened over at Corrections over 9 the last two years that does affect these capital improvement 10 projects long term over the next ten-year period.

When I first came in to the agency, which was two 11 12 years ago, the mission of the agency actually changed 13 drastically, which does affect these projects, and I'll 14 explain why. The mission of the agency for the Department of 15 Corrections at the time, which is going back two years now, 16 is that we would watch, secure, and detain offenders that are 17 assigned to Corrections by the Courts. While we have a 18 mission like that, the only thing that Corrections is really 19 doing is just housing offenders, making sure that they're 20 safe and secure and we let them either out on parole or back 21 out in to the community.

We shifted that change to start reinvesting our 22 23 efforts in to reentry. We started eliminating all 24 evidence-based -- all regular programs and added

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1 has just started six months ago.

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1 evidence-based. For a little education, there's two 2 different types of -- three different types of programs. You 3 have evidence-based. Evidence-based programs are programs that have been used around the country over minimally a three-year period that have proven track records to reduce recidivism or return back in to the prison system by 33 percent. So they're proven to work. Whether it's behavioral therapies or these different behavior or addiction services programs that they know will have at least a 33 percent impact. And I'll go and explain how that's important to those CIPs.

The next thing is that there's best practices. Best practice programs are programs that are offered to offenders around the country that have no evidence base to say that they can be reduced 33 percent but there's also no other programs for that specific behavior, whether it's -- it could be sex offender behavior. There's no evidence-based programs that would reduce -- evidence of reducing recidivism by 33 percent with sex offenders. So you find the best program out there that will reduce it somehow. So that's the second thing is the best practice programming.

The next one are just programs that I feel are 23 have programs that haven't even been proven to reduce 24 recidivism at all. They're basically just for security.

And it's very significant because a majority of the states around the country that were before us that did the justice reinvestment, actually some like Connecticut reduced their population by almost 48 percent based just on the sentencing commission being done. So that's a big deal for the state and we'll see where this goes. But I know if we -- if all the agencies and the courts that are involved in this justice reinvestment, we're going to start seeing a shift in our agency with the numbers of the populations 10 coming in our front doors.

Another trend that we carefully watch that 12 13 affects us as well is what's happening in the community jails. So when I looked at the largest jail system in the 14 15 state, which is Clark County, I started looking at what 16 population is coming in their doors that is going to affect 17 the system. And the trend that has been happening over the 18 last three years in Las Vegas was is you start seeing that 19 less felony arrests are happening and being incarcerated in 20 the iail system in Las Vegas. However, those crimes are 21 worse. They're more violent crimes, even though there's 22 less. If you look at the jail population, they are staying 23 exactly the same, which means that there's more misdemeanor 24 arrests that are keeping the population numbers the same.

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1 They keep inmates occupied. They keep their behaviors in a facility level because it gives them something to do other than just sitting around. So those are really the three types. And I'll tell you how it plays effect in here.

So what we ended up doing in the last two years 6 is we reduced and eliminated 48 of the hundred programs 7 around the State of Nevada that were not evidence-based or best practices and reduced them with all evidence-based. That's going to start thinking about the future of what's 10 going to happen if these really do work that the rest of the country is saying with our population numbers. 11

The other thing that's happened around the state 12 13 in the last two years, and one of them has just been in the last six months, is the state came up with the very first 15 sentencing commission. Sentencing commission in the state is 16 a big deal for the State of Nevada. It also entered in to 17 what's called justice reinvestment. Grants that the federal 18 government offered to Nevada to look at sentences and look at 19 the ways of what type of populations are actually coming to 20 prison and is it really justifiable to have them in prison or 21 to put them in to community programming or community 22 services. What's going to be the best outcome for the state 23 with what's the right thing to do and what's going to reduce 24 victimization in the future. That's happening today, which

1 How that affects us is that we're getting less offenders in 2 our front door from the courts because the only ones that I 3 get are the sentenced felonies. So if the felony arrests are going down, then I start getting less.

The other thing that we started looking at with 6 the change of our mission is what are we doing with community programming and how is that connected to reentry in the 8 prison system. So we developed a two area, north and south, 9 reentry units that actually put offenders in to these reentry 10 units to connect them with the communities, community 11 programs, so that they have these tools when they get out to 12 be more successful.

Now, when I first joined the agency, we literally 14 only had two different community resource providers that were 15 actually teamed up with Corrections so that we could get 16 inmates to go back in to the community safer and get them 17 programs. However, two times is not going to be able to 18 accommodate the numbers that go out our door.

So we ended up started developing more 19 20 relationships in the community and with the non-profits. We 21 actually have over 50 now. That's going to play a huge 22 impact on what's going to happen with the offenders when they 23 go out our door. The more tools you provide someone to be 24 successful, the less they actually get arrested, less that

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1 comes in to our front door. That's proven. And that's what we see has changed over the last two years.

The other thing that has changed over the last years is more of a focus on Parole and Probation. Parole and 5 Probation now just opened up one in October in Vegas and one 6 in Reno in February, they're reporting centers. All of these 7 things are going to play an impact on our CIP's because they 8 are going to keep offenders more out in to the communities 9 because it's going to start providing places for offenders to go that are on parole in one location, like a one-stop 11 shopping. Education is going to be there. Addiction 12 services will be there. Anger management programming, all 13 the programming that any inmate will need on probation will 14 be at least one location so that you can have more of control who gets there and if they can't get there, getting them 16 rides to those locations. It will keep offenders out in the community. That's going to play an impact on my population. 17 You'll see our numbers going down. 18

So I just did a quick statement on our DOC, 19 mission statement, and it's just that. It's refocusing on giving those offenders tools so they become more successful. And that's going to play a role in the community, like I 23 said, reducing the victimization. And what that ultimately 24 does is less inmates coming to our system in the future.

1 going to be population wise in the next ten years.

If you'll look at the bottom right, that's the 3 ten-year production by JFA. What happened with that dip, 4 where you see the angle going down, that's where I introduced 5 the JFA, the changes that we're doing in the department, the 6 changes in our mission, what's happening with reentry that actually shifted their belief on our population. So they dipped it coming down based upon the knowledge that I gave them. But they still don't have a full picture of the 10 sentencing commission and really how big the community 11 development piece has gone. So those numbers will actually come down even further if they look at our projections even 12 13

Even though they still continue to see our 14 projections going up by the JFA, a lot of that is population, 15 and the communities are going to go up and it's just basically mimicking the percentage that the residents and the populations in the communities will go up based upon how many arrests they'll project with more population in the 20 community.

But, like I said, if you look at our current 21 population with the female, male, it continues to go down, 22 which is a great thing. 23

And another thing that I want to mention when you

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1 look at these numbers, this includes -- We have 200 offenders 2 that are in Phoenix, Arizona right now based upon last year when we had too many inmates on overflow status, which I'll

get in to, that are being housed down in Phoenix, Arizona. And we plan to start bringing them back in the near future,

at least minimally a hundred when we get one of our old CIP projects back on line. But all the numbers that I show here includes those 200. So it's not like I didn't take in to

account. Those are included in these male populations. So the next slide would be admissions and

releases, which will explain to you that this is obvious but I just want to tell you what we look at. More admissions, 13 less releases means that our population goes up. If you can look at what's been happening, what I look at over the last 15 year and a half, the intakes have actually started 16 overwriting -- underwriting the releases or releases have been getting better and there's a couple reasons for this 17 that's going to actually change again down the road.

18 19 Department of Corrections' biggest concern we had 20 a couple of years ago is that we do not get enough offenders 21 that qualify for parole actually out on parole because 22 they're not qualifying. And they're not qualifying because 23 they can't find a good enough plan for those offenders to go 24 in front of the board and get approved. What we did

In the presentation I just wanted to -- I'm going 2 to give more of an overview of where we were, what we did with our population, what the contractors said were going to happen with our population and why that's actually different today than what the contractor says.

I'll give a ten-year master plan of where -- it's really all based upon where our population is going to go, what I truly believe the department is going to need so they're not in a crisis situation with the offenders and why that's important.

So if we start off with our population -- Go one more. When you look at this, this is the trends that I start 12 looking at. This is a very simple one for our Corrections department. And if we look at what's happening with our population, when I mentioned all of those things that we 15 16 started putting in place, we already started seeing a drop in our population, both male and female, started coming down. 17 All of this together, it's what's happening in the community. What we're doing with our reentry. This is only going to continue on what I believe because it's going to offer those tools that are going to keep those offenders out.

22 You will start seeing shifts in the future, which 23 the JFA is a contract that the state did with a company 24 several years ago to do an analysis of where our agency is

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1 being released. Those numbers will change. But this is a drastic part of what we're concentrating on because this is going to control a lot of our inmate population.

And just a -- I'll speak as if you don't know.

But why this is important on the parole releases, the most dangerous thing you can actually do for an offender is let an offender go out without any supervision, without anything over their heads, with having to provide community services and programming. Because what happens is now we have control 10 over them if they go out on parole. If they don't go out on 11 parole, there's nothing over their heads and we can't get 12 them in to certain programs because they're not considered a 13 parolee. That's going to help with reducing recidivism. And 14 that's another thing that I started to mention. More of 15 these offenders going out on parole rather than having the 16 sentences will actually reduce our intake down the road as 17 well because the services will be offered through the 18 community services.

The next thing that I'm looking at is the overdue 19 20 list. What that means is these are offenders. I wish we 21 went back further on this page. But what this is is these 22 are inmates that are eligible for parole that could go out on 23 parole but they either don't have a plan or they're homeless 24 and they can't get any locations for them to be released to.

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1 don't know if that's based upon the courts catching up 2 because of holidays seasons and more sentencings happening, 3 but it's consistent. So it's not unusual that you see this 4 yellow line going up at the end over the years, which is just unfortunately in July it goes up. But it comes back down.

1 differently that just started four or five months ago is we

added -- we got approval through the governor's office and

legislature to add in seven positions from Parole and

Probation to actually have a staff member from Parole working in our major facilities that coordinates the release plans

Before they got there, it was the inmate had to

produce their own plan. And 99 percent of the inmates have

no idea what they can do out in the community to come up with

an appropriate plan, which is a reason why you see less

offenders that do qualify for parole actually being released

and getting approved. This is going to play another factor

because now you'll start seeing our parole releases for

This next trend is kind of what I was mentioning.

The top line, the yellow one, is what's coming from the jail

system. When you look at trends over the last five years,

explain it. This is in Clark County. But when you look at

18 there's two -- it's kind of -- I don't know if I can really

20 the largest number of intakes, it's consistent over a

21 five-year period. Usually April and July the intakes go up. 22 I don't know why that is. But it shows it exactly the same

23 over a five-year period. April, July, for some reason we get

24 more inmates coming in to our doors from the courts. And I

Probation has changed what they've been doing with the community services, which you start seeing probation 8 numbers are going to go down. That's the middle one. The 9 only one that I said now that they started enacting these 10 daily reporting centers, that bottom line will start coming 11 down eventually too because of the new things that the 12 centers of Parole and Probation have on board that they can offer to the inmates to make them successful. 1.3

All three of these, from what I'm looking at from 14 15 the trends, are going to all three come down. That means our 16 admissions are going to be less than our releases going out 17 our door. And this is coming up over the next five years.

The one thing that we looked at when we look at 18 this next screen, July, this is only unusual because we 1.9 20 changed the board director and we had very few parole board 21 hearings in July because of vacation times that everybody scheduled at the same time. So those numbers were actually almost minimally doubled in the months of August and 24 September. And these are parole approvals from the board

If you go back one year earlier, which isn't on 2 here, they were up to 500 inmates on this list. Those are 3 500 inmates in our population that did not need to be there 4 or that should not have been there based upon there could 5 have been better alternatives out in the community for them, 6 which in the long term would have been better for reducing victimization down the road. Those numbers are down below 8 250 today, which is a big number. We're going to get them down even more. 9

And the reason why those numbers are coming down 11 is because of those seven parole staff members that we hired 12 to work in these facilities to coordinate these plans and releases so we can get those down. And that's going to also 13 bring our population down again. 14

15 The next thing, ten-year master plan. I mean, 16 we're looking at the entire state. I'm sure you know, but 17 I'll say it anyway for the public, there's 18 facilities 18 around the state that we have to monitor and operate. The plans change on these, which I'm going to explain. When I 20 first came in to the agency, when we were looking at the 21 arrests that happened in Clark County, when you have less -22 less felony arrests that are more violent, less inmates in 23 the future are going to qualify for minimum security beds. 24 That's where things are looking like they're trending based

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1 upon the arrests that are happening in Clark County over the two years minimally.

So what that means to us is you're going to start 4 seeing a shift in our minimum, medium, and maximum security housing based upon what comes in our door. So if we get more inmates coming in with more violent felonies down the road, what's going to happen to our bed minimums? We're going to start seeing what we're already feeling today. I have approximately 180 empty beds at our minimum security camps right now because I don't have inmates that qualify for those 11 beds. That shouldn't happen. It should be shifted around. And when that starts happening, if that trend continues, 13 which I believe it will, you're going to start seeing more 14 and more beds that are available. So now we have to shift 14 our CIP requests and what we're doing with our prison population and making possibly some of our, which we have coming out, is making one of our minimum security camps in to 18 a medium by increasing the security perimeters, the gates, to 19 match the medium so that I can put offenders in there that 20 are higher -- they're a minimum but higher level.

And what I mean by that is right now we have 21 22 about 480 inmates that qualify for minimum, but I can't put 23 them in there because they have ICE detainers. ICE 24 detainers, meaning I have no idea what the detainer is. It 1 and I'll explain what those are and why it's important for the state and where we're going with mental health and medical.

The thing with us expanding any units inside our rounds, which is a lot less expensive than building new prisons, is the infrastructure. Infrastructure, a lot of these places were not designed to add on additional housing 8 units. So we add on a housing unit, the infrastructure that we have to add on could be almost the same cost as the 10 housing units that we built, what will actually be, which we 11 will go over, when you start adding on physical plant, you're 12 going to have to add on capacity, the infrastructure to be 13 able to handle the water and the waste, laundry, all of that that we do in a prison system to be able to build just a 15 housing unit.

So if you look at the prison population, and the 17 numbers that I give you that are projected on these plans, 18 this is through JFA. JFA's numbers which are telling us, if 19 I took JFA to heart and they didn't know what we were doing 20 with the things that I mentioned to reduce our population, 21 those numbers would tell me that we need an additional 22 prison. Adding these units on is not going to be big enough, 23 that they actually will need minimally another 1500-bed 24 prison in the next ten years. I'm challenging that because I

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1 could be anywhere from warrants that are involving larger 2 federal crimes or even murder cases even in other countries 3 that our court is holding. I have no idea what they are. They don't tell us what they are. They just say you have an 5 ICE detainer. ICE detainer could be even at a minimum they just want to interview the person and find out about one of their family members. That's a detainer as well.

So I have no idea what these detainers could be. 9 But, in my end to be safe, I'm not going to put anyone with 10 an ICE detainer in a minimum security camp even though 11 they're minimum security inmates because the potential of 12 risk is too high to the community. So that's why you start 13 seeing we have minimum security inmates but we can't put them 14 in minimum security beds. But I could if I started 15 increasing the security of the perimeter of those minimum 16 camps to be higher level so I wouldn't be concerned about the community and open those beds up. So it's kind of a quick 17 layout of what I'm talking about with that. 18

So the biggest project we're looking at is to help with the futures. This is two housing units. The 20 biggest thing is that we're looking at building two 21 additional housing units in Southern Desert, which I'll explain a little bit about and what it means and then some 24 future planning for additional dormitories in northern Nevada

1 don't think that's feasible. I don't think we need it. I 2 don't think it's necessary. If we continue to invest, which 3 the legislature is actually supporting Corrections, if we 4 invest in our front end, which is getting more community 5 services programming, and I'll explain that Northern Nevada with providing better mental health services, minimal services, things that we already have in place for technical 8 investments, which is electronic health records, all of this is going to play a factor in the prison population and those 10 numbers are going to be a lot less than projected by JFA.

Another thing with electronic health records is 11 12 going to make a big difference with keeping offenders out in the community. Because right now there is nothing electronically mental health wise right now in the department. When we treat, we have a large number, we're 15 16 talking probably four or 5,000 inmates that are on either on 17 at one time or we monitor under psychotropic medications. That plays a factor in their behavior. The change in the electronic health records is actually going to monitor in 19 20 those medications and actually make an inmate more violent or less violent. And that's going to be transferred in to the community. Right now there's no consistency of Corrections being able to even provide the community with those 23 24 assessments.

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Corrections is the best place -- I'm sorry for talking about kind of philosophies here. But it all explains why I'm looking at this master plan a little different. When you talk about Corrections, we have the inmates in our visual and in our supervision, which the community cannot. So we have inmates, even on psychotropic medication, we can monitor that medication a lot closer because there's a lot of medications that actually make them more violent rather than do what the intention was, which was to make them less 9 10

Real guick on mental health wise, there's 12 something called the medical pharmaceutical formulary. And what a formulary is, is it dictates to the psychiatrist what 13 psychotropic medication they can actually use for certain diagnosis. And the reason why that's on a formulary is because it's the cheaper meds, it's the meds that do work. However, what doesn't show on there is that a lot of those 17 18 meds that are on the actual formulary have an adverse reaction on offenders and make them more violent.

The number one medication on a formulary for the 20 things that we have the highest numbers, which is 21 22 anti-social behaviors or anti-depressants is Prozac. Prozac 23 is proven to work, works around the country. However, not 24 many people know that 48 percent of the recipients it makes

1 13,880 inmates this morning, which is still below what JFA projected. So I know how JFA got their numbers. I just know they didn't have all the information that I know that we're doing within the last two years and that we're changing in the future that are going to affect those numbers even stronger. So our capacity -- our projections will actually look better with our capacity down the road. All I'm showing 8 here is what JFA is telling us because that's really the only 9 thing that we have formal. But I know that those numbers are actually going to be less than JFA because we have a lot of these tools coming in to place.

The next thing that I wanted to show was this is 13 what I consider as overflow. This is what overflow looks 14 like. We do not in the department as of now because our 15 numbers don't dictate it, we do not put inmates directly on 16 the floor. A lot of states around the country don't even 17 have beds to put offenders in. They use what's called boats. 18 It's almost like portable beds that lay on the floor. We don't do that. We actually put inmates in physical beds.

The problem with putting inmates in physical beds 21 is the locations. You have two different locations that we have room where we could put these beds. And I have not had 23 to -- Before we sent the inmates out for Arizona, which is 24 the reason it was coming close, you do not want to take away

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1 them more violent. So we take them off and we see the 2 violence starting and we put them on something else on the formulary. We don't go off the formulary unless there's a reason to. What's concerning is if you don't have electronic 5 health records what happens when that inmate is put back in 6 the community. HHS and the similar mental health delivery systems have the same formulary. So what do they do? They put the person right back on Prozac or those medications that 9 we know make them violent. They go back on them and then 10 what happens? So they go back in to the community and more violence and so then they come back in to our system. 11

Those things are -- We have approval from the 13 legislature for electronic health records that's going to play another role in making this mental health transition 14 15 back in to the community a lot safer and further down the road so that they don't come back in to the prison system. 16

17 So all of those things are playing a factor again 18 to our master plan numbers, which is going to change what JFA projected to us. 19

And JFA is our only, right now, is our only tool 20 21 that we use for the legislature on projections because it really is the only formal projections that we have that was 23 contracted out. So we still use those numbers. But even as 24 of today, when I looked at our bed counts today, we had

1 evidence-based programming space. And if I have rooms that 2 are big enough to put beds in that they do evidence-based 3 programming in and they actually do more of a worse problem down the road with our population. So right now I don't have 5 beds, these kind of beds in program areas that are affecting 6 evidence-based program and I have to keep watching that because if I'm telling you that it's going to reduce victimization in the community, our numbers. When I start putting beds, our numbers will go way up. When we start putting beds in those areas, it's going to start affecting 10 11 the community. So that is not happening.

These areas that you see here are actually 13 already gone. Our population numbers are going down where we 14 did not need these areas of as of today. But this is what it 15 will look like when our populations start rising. We have no 16 locations to put them. And when we start doing these master plan locations, which is why I want to explain on Southern 17 Desert why it's so important for the two housing units. We 18 19 need to reduce these numbers so we're not affecting evidence-based programming. 20

And the other thing we got to look at when you 21 22 start doing this is we don't want to affect court cases that 23 are out against other states that it's called conditions of 24 confinement. When you start adding beds and numbers, what

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1 are you doing with toilets, with showers, with out-of-cell 2 time, recreation. That starts affecting incarceration and the conditions of confinement. Those are the lawsuits that 4 are happening around the country, which I'm trying to avoid, which we are, and this plan will help us avoid down the road.

As I started mentioning with our Southern Desert Correctional Center, our priority number one, this is adding in two additional Nevada tees we call them. They're just tee-shaped housing units. Each of these housing units 10 actually will increase about 252 beds, depending on how many inmates we add on in to those units, which will give -- these two tees will give us 500 additional bed spaces to help reduce the overflow numbers that come down the road with additional inmates coming in.

However, what I mentioned earlier is when you add 1.5 16 in units like this we have to start looking at infrastructure 17 as well. And that's what we're talking about with additional plant space. We're talking about additional laundry space. kitchens. All of this has to come in to a factor when you're talking about two units, because 504 new residents actually 20 really does play an impact on physical plan. So the 21 infrastructure has to be added in, which is almost as high as 22 cost of adding in the two housing units. 23

And on this last one, number six on the bottom of

1 community does their piece and continues to do what they're doing, we're going to have plenty of room to keep the

offenders to go in to the program space. I'm pretty confident of that, as long as this comes to fruition.

The next one, which I kind of mentioned, was Northern Nevada Correctional Center. This is going to help us with our consolidation for medical and mental health. 8 Again, when I first came in the agency, the mental health 9 population was spread out throughout the state. However, all 10 of our resources were in two different areas, Carson City or down in the Las Vegas area, but the inmates were spread out.

When you spread out inmates and put them in to 13 areas know go in and out of acute mental health care. It's 14 not an appropriate treatment of those offenders because 15 they're not going to get the stabilization and then they're going to go back out in to the community. They could even go out worse than they come in. They should not have to. Part of my plan is to consolidate what we already started is all 19 the mental health to the Carson City area because we have all 20 of these different agencies like Renown that are helping us 21 to consolidate mental health staffing to one location so that we can provide a maximum number of services to the offenders.

And when you look at this -- And, like I said, 24 this is my future plan for the agency to really consolidate

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1 the page, I put about demolishing housing unit number eight. 2 That's still up in the air on what happens down the road with 3 re-evaluating the unit. We are currently in remodeling stages of that building eight just to get us through another 5 five years. I think it's going to be a lot longer than that as long as we look at the infrastructure of that unit. But those beds, we're going to have all of those beds back on line in about probably this time next year, which is 400 beds.

All of these things start playing a factor in 10 11 whether or not you need an additional prison. And in my projections it's still in the back of our minds because JFA is saying that we do. I don't think we do because of all the 14 things we're going to put in place. And if we do things 15 right and reinvest more in to our tools for the offenders, I 16 think we're going to see a reduction more down the road 17 especially with the sentencing commission and what they're doing with sentencing tools. 18

So that one we're going to have to go a little 19 20 bit more in to. But that's a big priority of the agency so 21 that we do not go in to programs based on overflow and that we can control our prison population numbers so that we can 23 bring the inmates back from Arizona. All of this will play a 24 factor. And I still believe on our projections if the

1 all the mental health to this location.

So what we're asking for in this priority number two is really just for planning. It's just the planning stages of it. So this isn't the building of it. And I'm not sure -- I'm not sure that 5.7 million, that number would have 6 to come from our engineer at Public Works. But this is really just the planning stages of this. Where will this be and how much of a -- how much will this benefit the state by doing this type of plan with the consolidation with these units and what kind of factor that will have in reducing recidivism down the road even more so that we could possibly close other older units down the road. So that is just really the planning stages for number two.

Some of the other ones which were higher than last year's priority is one of them -- this facility is Florence McClure Women's Correctional Center. This is the 16 only state facility, which is important that we house female 17 18 offenders. So if we run out of room at Florence McClure, I 19 can't move them anywhere else. So we're closely monitoring 20 our bed space at Florence McClure. The numbers are coming down, which is consistent with what the community has been 21 22 doing with the female residents of the community as 23 alternatives to incarceration, offering more Parole and 24 Probation out in the community so that they can do more

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1 lot more of how that can happen. And over the next two years I think you're going to see more of this community

programming piece than I'm even explaining today. So I think

it's going to play a bigger factor down the road. I came from Connecticut. That was one of the original systems that started the justice reinvestment model and reentry and the community services. When I first left

was over 20,000. Today it's exactly the same number as here 10 today. They were able to close six major facilities, which 11 is where I'm going with this. This is where we really need 12 to go. And the crime rate actually went down. So when you 13 look at the prison population going down and crime rate going

Connecticut and went to New York City, the prison population

14 down in the communities, that's a very successful tool of 15 what they did in those states. It's not unique to

16 Connecticut.

Really quick, another synopsis, which is the plan 17 18 accurate, this plan is going to be extremely important 18 that we're going with with this state. If you take two 19 states, New York state and Florida state, if you look at the 20 residents in those states, New York 15 years ago was about 21 one million residents more than Florida. However, the prison population were almost exactly the same. Florida had 23 about -- This is stuff you can Google -- 62,000 offenders in 24 Florida and 58,000 offenders in the prison system in New

13 facilities I can juggle them around and move overflow where I So the other one that we moved to which was in 16 our top ten I believe in our last request is down at 45. This is Prison 8. If I'm wrong and JFA projections are 19 because we're going to be running out of bed space within the 20 next five years and if that continues to go as JFA projected, 21 this facility is going to be important to be able to house

1 community services out there. The female population is a lot

easier to do it with than the male population because history

shows the female population tends to be less violent and needs more attention care, which is medical care, health

care, or any kind of a psychological or prenatal care

services. So it's easier to offer services in the community

for the female population to get them safer and consistent with our reentry, leaving them out in the community.

So our numbers with the female population are

10 coming down and they have been coming down. But if they do

11 go up, this is going to be an important plan because we'll

12 have no where else to move the females, where the other

our offenders that are over our current numbers. 22 I'm not sure that this is necessary. I know we 24 need to keep it on the plate just in case things change in

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1 the community or we see such a rise in our number of 2 residents, community residents, and where those residents are 3 coming from and coming with problems in their hands or more 4 additions in the future or there's more crime rates going up. 5 And that all changes in the community. I'm leaving that on 6 the table just because it's a possibility down the road. I don't think it's a big possibility. But I do believe we're 8 going in the right direction with our -- all the people 9 getting out and we're concluding with the legislature and the 10 community and offering more community services to keep people 11 in the community.

Just so you know, if you look at our entire 12 13 prison population of almost 14,000, 88 percent of those population are getting out back in to the community within 15 the next 15 years. So these are offenders that are going 16 back out in to the community. And so that's why I think it's 17 important to get those community services now, because no 18 matter whether we keep them from coming in or whether they're 19 in, they're still going back in to our communities. And if 20 we do it right, that's going to play a factor in our prison 21 population in the future to keep those numbers down, which is where I do believe things are going. 22

The rest of the country pretty much is going on 23 24 board with that, as justice re-investments is going to show a 1 York. New York reinvested in this plan that we're talking 2 about with our community, our reentry, with mental health and 3 medical services. Florida did the opposite. They started 4 having a lot of problems. They took away a lot of these 5 services that were offered to inmates. They eliminated 6 programs because they used the money to increase safety and security. 7

Now, if you look at today, the prison population and the residents are pretty much the same. New York still 10 has a bit more than Florida. Prison population in New York 11 went down 10,000. They closed five major facilities. And 12 all that money got reinvested to these community programs that I'm talking about. 13

If you look at Florida, their prison population 14 15 doubled. They're over a hundred thousand. They had to build 16 18 new facilities, which is why I think it's important in 17 discussing this because I know our plan can get better down 18 the road. It's not going to get us to the point where we're going to probably see several thousand. I don't think that's 19 20 ever going to happen because in this state our resident 21 population is going to increase a lot more than those states 22 have over a few years just because of the economics that's 23 happening in this state. But you'll see these things play in 24 to effect on our capital improvement plans. That's why I

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believe that it may not be as necessary but still is possiblebased upon JFA.

Another thing that I'll bring up on the next
couple slides talks about our camps. What our camps are is
we have a couple of different types of camps. Our camps are
only our minimum security beds. They have the offenders that
are going home in the near future or do go home and come
back. We have some offenders that are in even our release
centers like Casa Grande in Vegas and Reno Transitional
Center here that actually can leave during the day and go to
work and come back at night. As long as they come back, we
could set them up with a plan so that they can get stabilized
while we still have them in our custody with bank accounts,
get housing and jobs so that we can put them out there and
they will be more successful. We've proven that.

But, anyway, these camps here are minimum security camps. And what these two camps on the next two slides is that they are camps that we train offenders to either fight forest fires, which we have over 250 out in California today, they're fighting forest fires out there. These are inmates that we trained to be firefighters and paramedics and they're getting closer to their release. They're not a security risk to the community. As far as I know, since I've been here, we've never had one inmate leave

And ask any questions if you need to. I'm trying to give you a lot of history and a lot of philosophy and trying to absorb that.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: I'll jump in for a second. You've been on a roll for about 50 minutes, so I'll give you a little break. Are there any questions of the board? Member Tiberti.

MEMBER TIBERTI: For the record Tito Tiberti. At the indulgence of the board and the time and everybody, I know this is probably not germane. But you have a shopping center in Las Vegas for 45 years near the university at Maryland Parkway. You've had a project on Dean Martin Drive between the freeway and the Rio hotel for 25 years and we've got another project similar. And the one for 45 years and the one for 25 years up until the last three years we've had very, very little problem of anything as far as problems. We now have urination on our property in front of the tenants, defecation, breaking windows, threatening secretaries and people, lost tenants. And the sheriff department says, well, a lot of them are on meth and there's nothing we can do about it. And there's a wash right next to us and they just live down there and the railroad track.

Now, something has changed. And I'm just listening to what you're saying. I know that isn't the deal.

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1 any of those fire crews. They go out and fight the forest 2 fires and come back. They keep those — As long as we have 3 the right classification on these offenders in those areas, 4 it's a safe and less expensive way to house offenders. 5 However, like I said, those numbers are going to start 6 decreasing. Our numbers of minimum security beds are opening 7 and getting bigger. I have to start planning for that down 8 the road, increase security in some of these places so that 9 we can house higher level minimums in there safely without 10 the risk of the community being jeopardized.

But the cheapest way to do that that really works for minimum with these dormitories, you add dormitory space. It adds up numbers. It's the less expensive way to go. But actually from a minimum it's completely appropriate and safe. We have very little, if any, incidents that happen in those type of housing as long as you have the right classification.

type of housing as long as you have the right classification.
So that's why I was proposing that. When we
start adding some of the security to this, these dormitories
will be able to hold more offenders and less rate -- at a
less expensive rate than building other housing units or even
Prison 8, as I mentioned. So that's where these two come in
to effect. And we're looking at adding additional down the
road minimum security dormitories that will house the
offenders that are safer and less expensive.

1 But just take a second to tell me what's changed for us since 2 you're in this business. Thank you.

MR. DZURENDA: Thank you. James Dzurenda for the record. So you have a few things. I mean, there is, when you talk about the economy and you talk about homelessness and you talk about mental health, there is a lot of factors that go in to place of what you're talking about. But if we're looking at the numbers that I get in that are those populations, they're not the -- they're more of the town nuisance. They're not the ones that are going out and killing people and they're not the ones that are going out and committing these huge felonies or violent felonies.

They're more of the nuisance that are causing vandalism and they're causing, like I said, a nuisance to the community.

A lot of those offenders we've been tracking
they're not Nevada residents even. They're not even coming
from Nevada. Most of them we've been noticing they're coming
from the California lines. They're coming in to Nevada.
When we're looking at our population that we're releasing out
in to the community that we're holding at our homeless
population, which is another reason that's unique to the
state, 28 percent of them are not from the State of Nevada.
They have no addresses and they did not start here and they
just ended up here in the last couple years. And a lot of

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1 say that. So thank you.

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1 them are coming from the California borders. And what I've 2 noticed is that even when you've had change of sentencing in 3 California to add, like, a three strike rule and then you get a life sentence, they could be minor charges or even the 5 lower level felonies, three of them will get an inmate a life sentence. After two, what do they do? They come to Nevada to start all over and avoid the life sentence. We're getting a lot of them coming in. California in the last three years released over 30,000 offenders prematurely because of a court case. Where did those offenders go? A lot of them ended up in Nevada. So we're starting to see them coming in to or borders. They're coming in here because they feel that either the drugs are more frequent and are able to get, they're afraid of the law enforcement in California because they might get hit with the three strikes out. Whatever the 15 reason is, I have no idea, but they're coming over the 16 borders in to Nevada and I see that coming in to our system 17 18 with the lower level felony arrests, which are the same ones you're talking about, the homeless population. 1.9 20

For the state and the city to start dealing with 21 that, they have to do what I said and they have to start looking at those community resources. If you have offenders 22 out here with no where to go, no jobs, no way of getting any 23 24 type of financial income, they're going to go in to areas

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record, Chief Engineer, Department of Corrections. We're moving in to the second phase of this presentation. The director did an excellent job explaining our process and I'll expand on that.

But we have focus on the first 80 in our priority system that I'll have outlined here. It's in your booklet. We have 178 total, but 35 of them are statewide projects that will be handled later today. That won't be discussed today. 10 And so I think we've got about an hour left. If you can give 11 me a ten-minute warning when I get close to it because I don't see a clock in this place. 12

Anyhow, having said that, some preliminaries 14 here, the abbreviations. I'm not sure if you're familiar 15 with them, but this is something you can go back to. That's 16 what I use in discussing those slides. It facilitates the presentation. And so these are all of our 18 institutions, 18 facilities. And here's the abbreviations for the personnel 19 that are involved in this process, including the two 20 departments.

I think we should spend a little time on our 21 22 approach, how we got to the 143, the rankings, that type of 23 thing. But it's eight steps. We start with the each 24 facilities whether it's the ward, assistant ward, lieutenant,

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1 where we don't want them to be and it's going to hurt our 2 businesses. They have to start investing in some community 3 resources to keep them on the right medication for those that 4 have it, the right addiction services to get them off their drugs, and get them in to these jobs so that they can self-sufficiently learn to live. But it's not happening. So you're starting to see more of it in places like you're talking about. What are they going to do? They cause destruction. And the community has to start looking at stuff 10 like that. And they are.

I know they've got a -- I just had a meeting 11 12 yesterday in Las Vegas. They are opening up community 13 resource centers in the city and it's going to start 14 addressing a lot of that. We have to do something before it becomes a crisis like you're saying. And I know that. 15 MEMBER TIBERTI: Thank you.

16 CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Before we go on, I just want to 17 18 commend you for the approach. I'm not sure how it's going to 19 work. But the fact that we're looking at ideas other than 20 continuing to build prisons is commendable. And so it's 21 refreshing to see the different approach. Again, I don't 22 know how this is going to play out. But I like it better 23 than let's just use more money to build more prisons. And so 24 before we move on to those other requests, I just wanted to

1 administrative services officer, facility supervisor, they 2 get together and put their list together. They prioritize, 3 discuss, and, of course, as you know, this is every two 4 years. So they have a deadline, I think it's early this 5 year, January, to get that done. They submit that to my office. And I take those new CIPs that they're requesting and merge them with the ones that were not funded. And 8 that's my basis. And that's where we start. And my facility 9 manager and myself got together. And using our vetting 10 process concluded I think logically those institutions, the 11 more maximum security, the higher versus the camps. The 12 camps probably didn't get as much priority in our ranking 13 system I think for obvious reasons. There's less numbers 14 there and they're all minimum custody. So that played in to 15 it. And, implicitly, we look at staff security. Excuse me. 16 Staff safety, inmate security, infrastructure, and energy 17 savings. And that was woven in to that decision making, along with costing. 18 19

So we came up with a ranking. We had 152 at that 20 time. At that point the director and deputy directors looked 21 at the list and reviewed it, edited it, and we went through a revision with that to get final rankings to state Public 22 Works. There's a deadline on that in early April.

MR. PATRICK: Yes.

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MR. WAGNER: So at that point they reviewed, 2 evaluated, consolidated, and went through the detailed costing. And that's what you're seeing in your expanded detailed sheets for each one of these. And then that came 5 back to us, our core group. We reviewed, edited those, and sent them back. And then lead ultimately to what you're looking at, 143, to reflect some consolidation, a couple of eliminations and basically a detailed costing.

So having said that, we'll move right in to a 10 summary of all of these. This first one through 80, which 11 we're expanding on, this is a summary of how they're broken 12 down based on those criteria. In our ranking system, you 13 know, infrastructure you almost can't help but get some attention. But we tried to in this count that reflects the count that's the primary. And then you see the total cost for those 80 projects.

So the first one the director has hit on and I 17 18 don't need to expand on that much. But those first two do 19 reflect the bi-product of the ten-year master plan. And it's 20 a ten-year plan. It's fluid. It's -- I don't think we're 21 locked in. If conditions change, that will most likely 22 change, but for the short term. In my viewpoint that 23 regardless of where we are with projections, the need for 24 that first one is still pretty highly ranked. In fact, the

1 you can get in a situation where you lose your heating and it's zero degrees or whatever it can be at Lovelock in the 3 winter, and then you've got a situation where you may have to move inmates and possibly all of them. So add those right to the top of our non-master plan list.

The next one is this is an ongoing issue with cooling towers. I should point out though as we go through this, that ID number won't mean much to you other than just focus on if it's a 19,000 series it's a new one. If it's the 7,000 series, those are CIPs from two years ago. Yeah.

So anyhow, these are the cooling towers and they 12 have been on -- As I say that, it sounds like it's new. That problem hasn't been new. The cooling towers are like 14 everything else that functions. They have a finite life and 15 this life is near its end and it's a real issue because you 16 can't get the temperature that you need to -- for its purpose. And so that got highly ranked.

The next one is up at Lovelock Correctional 18 19 Center. And I think we'll switch gears. So we have two of 20 the top five are at Lovelock. And this is all about power 21 interruptions. If you get the electrical situation under 22 control, it's, as I understand it, it's more from aging 23 process, that type of thing.

And as I go through that, I don't know that I'll

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1 Department of Corrections put it number one. And so 2 subsequently downstream there it's just part of the phase 3 approach, as I understand. It makes sense to plan for the 4 next one if we're going to get this done in the ten-year process. And that's, as we mentioned earlier, that's the planning portion of that project to get that up and running. So those are master plans. We'll hit on a few others. You'll notice that when the director introduced them there was a different ranking. One was 35. One was 48. You'll see them pop up as we move through this.

The next one is the first non-master plan 11 12 project. This has gotten a lot of attention as of late. 13 Public Works is quite intimate with this. We had a three-way 14 conversation not too long ago and talk about that in detail. 15 But it's a systemic problem that there's leakage up there. 16 And whether it's rain water, it gets in these bail holes and 17 mixed with mud and for whatever reason they get a lot of 18 accumulation of chemical re-enactments and that's made the piping problem systemic. And the fear is that we're in our 19 20 heating season coming up, like we were last year, and we had emergency pipe leaks. There's only limited monies available 21 to repair those what we could, Band-Aids.

But the belief from both the people on the ground 23 24 at the facility and Public Works that this is possible that 1 hit on much. But you can see how we rank them with the different rankings, A, B, and C is how we do it, for safety, security, and structure, so that's qualitative. It's a 4 little course. Only three levels. But I think it gives you 5 some idea of what drives it. But those are just some of the

factors. And of course cost is another one.

Moving on to our next five out in Southern Desert 8 Correctional Center. We have this ongoing issue. In fact 9 it's come up with this first master plan that it's ongoing, 10 that expansion of the two housing -- with the two housing 11 units in Southern Desert. And part of that discussion is 12 rough numbers. We have 6,000 out there total in that 13 complex. And these three facilities including our staff and 14 our waste water situation is right at capacity. Our domestic 15 water looks like we go somewhere in the neighborhood of 16 10,000, so we're in pretty good shape there and we're working 17 to approve that. You'll see that later on in some of the 18 CIPs. But in waste water we're getting to the max and we need to take action. 19

Up at Northern Nevada Correctional Center this is 20 21 not uncommon. You know, it seems like we have our share of 22 rolling problems. I'm sure other industries do too. And 23 whether it's the water, aging process, but it's a lot of work 24 being done at Northern Nevada and this will add to it to take

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1 over there at Ely. Not as costly and maybe not as urgent.

2 But still it's a problem.

Again at Ely, security controls and software for HU. I think you understand by now that is the abbreviation for housing units.

MR. PATRICK: Excuse me, Chairman. Ward Patrick. I would like to ask a question regarding item number 11. We've got that listed as planning project. This is the --Excuse me. 12 being the Ely State Prison, replace domestic and heating hot water piping. And so I just wanted to -- You expressed that the priority is not as urgent, say, as the work at Lovelock where we've got the heating water issues. 13 And so I just want to clarify that we think that this is the right way to go. Because if this is a planning project, we would then get funding in July of 2019 to do this design 16 work. And then would be a candidate for two years from now to be heard for a construction project. So doing planning 17 18 now only, likely this fix would not be in place, the fix 19 would not be completed until, say, five years from now. And 20 so that's the plan that this work would be on if this project 21 were approved for advanced plan. So I just want to make sure 22 it's clear for everybody.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Mr. Patrick. 23 MR. WAGNER: Thank you. Ralph Wagner for the 24

1 care of the infrastructure there as well. High Desert State Prison. As you may know, we

cool during the summer months with evaporative coolers and 4 the notion there that they run inexpensively. But you still 5 have the media that you need to run that water through. It's a simple process. You're just evaporating and changing liquid water to gaseous water and then you get a cooling effect from it. But the media that you run it through has a

finite life too. And that relates to the waste water problem. What we're playing with is running, recycling 11 through that media more often. So once it leaves the media, 12 it's heading down in to those waste water ponds. And we use, I believe, it's of the order of 400,000 gallons per day extra to deal with evaporative coolers in our system at that

complex. 15 1.6

And so if we can reduce that or mitigate that, that would help us out in our waste water situation too. But 17 18 regardless, we have -- we're at near capacity with waste 19 water. But that plays in to it and it's a big number, bigger than you might initially expect, for water usage with 20 evaporative coolers is just part of the comp.

21 At Ely State Prison, our boiler is 30 years old. 22

So that's somewhat self-explanatory why those are degraded. 24 And, of course, that's a key element to our heating season

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1 that's coming up.

Three Lakes Valley Conservation Camp, this is what the director was talking about. He wants to reshuffle the deck and he can do it if we can increase the security at 5 that facility so he can get a different level of minimum custody in there and I think you said it was 180 beds.

MR. DZURENDA: Most of them are there.

MR. WAGNER: So it makes sense to do that type of upgrade with the fencing that will get us in to that level. And I think some of them are ICE-related, like I think the director mentioned that. You can't just put them in there with the security beds that are there now.

Okay. High Desert. Evaporative cooling medium, 14 I just talked about that. Same thing. It has a finite life and we're near the end of it, those first eight units. 15

Ely, the next one, number 12, this is a real 16 issue. I was up there last month and today with your 17 labor -- Well, it's a ceiling this tall. The piping is up 18 there. So it's not an easy fix. You're not going to do it 19 before breakfast or anything. And so you have to go up 20 there. It's -- You have to get the scaffolding and get 21 access to it, as I understand it. And it's -- We're somewhat 22 like what's happening at Lovelock. We're getting early 23 24 indication of major problems. And this is another situation

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1 record. Moving on, number 14, security cameras, work 2 stations. It appears to me that we're turning more towards 3 cameras on our towers. Director, is that accurate? And it's just a better technology, better use of our resources whether 5 it's labor or materials. So you're seeing more and more of that for our request.

Up at Northern Nevada, HVAC systems in different structures, they needed to be upgraded. Again, that's just on going aging process.

Moving along, number 16, both High Desert and 10 11 Southern Desert. This is director's initiative. It's to 12 improve staff safety and provide better inmate security. And 13 when they're out there together, this will give the staff 14 isolation and reduce their likelihood of having 15 confrontations with the inmates. And so that's what's being done at that project. 16

Number 17, High Desert. The infirmary is being 18 upgraded, showers, the whole thing, suicide watch. That, as you know, is our largest facility and gets a lot of our attention. And that is reflected in these prioritizations.

At Florence McClure Women's Correctional Center we want to put in food cuff ports to better control for 22 23 better inmate security of the inmates.

Again, at Southern Desert, this is another camera

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1 project that triggers the corresponding software and hardware that's needed.

The next one is Ely Correctional Center. And 4 having gone through these is not uncommon to have troubles with the bathroom. It's obvious. They get a lot of use every day by a lot of people. And whether it's mold or breakdown or just abuse, we see a need to renovate the restrooms throughout our facilities.

Next one, 21, Ely State Prison, HVAC system for 10 building nine. Again, those are -- I feel like I'm being 11 redundant, but that's the nature of most of these requests from here forward. 12

Northern Nevada, emergency generator. That's 13 important. And we have that capability. It needs to be 14 15 installed.

Three Lakes is another camp that we talked about 16 with cameras and other ancillary equipment there to beef up 17 that security and of course reduce the need for towers, guard 1.8 19

Northern Nevada gets more attention, rightfully 21 so, with electrical upgrades of their distribution.

Casa Grande, this is their first one. It's a 22 23 surveillance system. And it needs to be updated. And 24 incidentally another transitional housing, I think we have

1 where we have more controls and doing a proactive approach to doing these systems. We're working at equalizing the work load that comes out of door controls. So we would consider it kind of a normal work plan. If we've got, say, 50 housing units and therefore the systems may have a life span of approximately 15 years, 16 years, we want to make sure we're doing three of these housing units every year or six every session, which would allow for an even flow of work and keep the systems in their life span so they don't go beyond their 10 normal expected life. And so we've been working in that area in the door controls area, in the roofing area. And now we're just continuing to expand our grasp of how we can be 13 more proactive. And this is another example we see is one of the highest risk areas. And just for your information, the 15 term proactive CIP will hopefully that's the normal business 16 instead of what we're introducing at different times. Thank

MR. DZURENDA: James Dzurenda for the record. 19 Just for a little education on door controls and motors and 20 stuff for moving gates. When these buildings were built, 21 those companies that made those motors, those controls, no 22 longer existed, so when they go down we're in more of a 23 crisis that we can't just buy a part to replace a part. It's 24 almost developing something from scratch or trying to make

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1 one of the best camera systems. It's one of the newer ones. That's why that is. It's kept up with technology. And Casa Grande is proposing to do that as well.

High Desert, replace the -- basically the heating and cooling system, and, of course, piping needs to be upgraded or replaced.

At the Jean Correctional Center we need propane heaters for the bulk of their buildings, smaller facility, but again those have a finite life.

10 Northern Nevada.

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MR. PATRICK: Excuse me, Mr. Chairman. Sorry, 11 12 Ralph. Ward Patrick for the record. We're working towards 13 an effort of more of a proactive CIP effort. That's probably 14 been discussed with the board previously. And so we're going 15 back to this project number 26, advanced planning central 16 plant renovation at High Desert State Prison. So this is a project that Public Works initiated. The facility is 17 18 basically 20 years old and it's 900,000 square feet and 19 contains 4,000 of the 12,000 inmates. So you can see where 20 there's a risk if the central plant system is not working 21 appropriately. And so we're working towards establishing the 22 life of various equipment and doing this effort more across 23 the board. You know, we're working hard in the door controls

24 area for Corrections to keep an inventory of all the areas

1 something temporarily work. So these things are important just to replace those systems with ones that we can fix. I just want to bring that to the attention.

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. Just 5 to expand on Administrator Patrick's comments. So, once again, thank him for updating on that. But it brings up a bigger point, which I think is a common thread for this presentation. In our vetting process, as I mentioned, we are 9 intertwined with Public Works so much and so with a lot of 10 back and forth and that's good back and forth and I think it 11 helps refine our initial notions of what is needed and where 12 it's needed, how it's needed, that type of thing. So I'm 13 appreciative of that interaction that we do have with Public 14 Works on this process.

Okay. Moving along, I think we're in to the 28th 15 16 one. Oh, yeah, that's the third facility with higher custody 17 level. And that's another initiative. The same initiative 18 the director had to ensure better security for the -- safety for the staff and security of the inmates. It's a minor investment for that type of improvement.

High Desert, again, showers. And it's not 21 22 uncommon if you want industrial strength life, longevity, stainless steel is usually lifecycle cost. That's a good 24 investment. Because many of the other materials are

1 short-lived.

Down at Jean, domestic water line makes number 30. I won't spend much time on that. 3

Moving along, Northern Nevada again, windows and walls. It's our lock-down facility, so we want to seal and 5 insulate those better.

Up at Humboldt, again, the shower issue. As I mentioned --8

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Excuse me, Mr. Wagner. Just a 10 quick question. With respect to priority number 30, is Jean still open or is it closed?

MR. DZURENDA: James Dzurenda for the record. So in Jean there's two facilities down there. Jean is actually 13 the camp that we run that does the women's firefighters. So 14 that is open. We have -- I think we have about 200 female 15 offenders in that location. There is a facility next to it 16 that was a larger facility of the Southern Nevada 17

Correctional Center which has been closed down for some time 18 19 now.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. 20

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. We hit 21 22

23 Now, 32, like I said previously, it's not 24 uncommon for camps to have shower issues. Page 55

1 entered. It was entered originally at the total cost and it 2 made more sense for these major products that are down the line for ten years to do the planning first. And so that costing should reflect the planning and administrative. I'm guessing two or three million type number. I'm not sure. So that ballpark. This number here is the cost to build the entire facility. So just a clarification.

Moving on, 37. This is a medium long term master planning for the expansion of the core services. More planning. And you see that in several of our CIPs.

Warm Springs, HVAC situation for different structures that require replacement. 12

Up at Lovelock, again, the air handlers up there 13 and terminals, controls, and what is it, three structures is 14 needed. 15

I mentioned earlier about Southern Desert where 16 we're near max at waste water capability, treatment capability. What this one is is about our domestic water. And we have six wells and we have it set up to where it right 20 now is going to ensure that our critical tank if it would grow and leak at the bottom we would be in tough shape, so 21 we're correcting that. And this product will provide 22 redundancy in that system to better ensure that we always have a steady stream of domestic water.

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Casa Grande. Rooftops are short cycle, I believe 2 is the bigger problem. They're not functioning up to proper standards. And we're requesting replacement of those HVAC 3 units.

At Ely this is an ongoing issue. This is unique 6 I think to most of the residents. Again, that reflects good work and I think Public Works does and rarely do we have an issue with a finished product. But this one is one that it appears poor workmanship and we pursued that. It looks like the construction company that did it merged with a much 11 bigger company and they're difficult to come back to there --12 adhere to the warranty and correct it. We've got a wavy 13 floor. They didn't use the right instrumentation. So we 14 have small undulations. If you ever play golf on a green, 15 it's kinds of what this floor is. So it's a slipping and 16 tripping hazard because it's always damp in certain areas. We get mold. And Health Services has been there. Anyhow, 17 that ranks number 34. 18

Up at Women's Florence McClure. They've been 19 looking at this for some time. A 25,000 square foot 20 21 warehouse with refrigeration and maintenance that we have the space for it. And that would help them much. 22

Here is one of those master plan projects. And I 23 24 would just note there's been a little typo when it was

Steel trap. You may remember before I was here, 2 two years ago we were here with renovations of the firing ranges --3

(The court reporter interrupts)

MR. WAGNER: So those are our top priorities to 6 renovate and they didn't have them. But what I'd like to see, what I think makes maybe it more sellable, more doable for this price range without the full renovation, if you install these steel traps, you're basically shooting lead 10 pellets and you recover all of them. And so it's an easy 11 clean-up and remediation issue. And so that's the key 12 compound of the whole renovation. So that's what that's all 13 about. So I wanted to spend a little more time on that. The 14 steel trap to me makes more sense for the short term and total renovation of those firing ranges. 15

Okay. Lovelock, more cameras, monitoring equipment. You've seen that before. And talk about why that 17 18 is.

Southern Desert, lots of water-saving devices. 19 20 And this is worth talking about. We have a system that was 21 installed up at Ely to reduce the waste of water. Again, I 22 understand it's not uncommon inmates some of them have --23 they all have a fair amount of time in their cells. And it's 24 not uncommon for them to keep flushing the toilet or using

1 the sink or showers also but maybe less so. They're more 2 monitored. But these devices will limit that use to whatever 3 you set it at, maybe twice every 15 minutes. And we're 4 seeing tremendous savings in water usage. The order, again will say 50 and I'll say maybe 60 to 70. But it's a monster number savings. Of course, you're robbing from Peter to pay Paul here because these things aren't free. They cost something. But it appears they're a much better investment. And our having to build more waste water facilities and are 10 handling more water and piping, more leaks, whatever. So 11 this is a newer technology. And this one entity that we're 12 working with seem to have a very reliable system. And so

This is another expansion. And even on that expansion, that number one master plan, that's a request to ensure that those are built in as part of our regular design, just our mindset. 16 So the next one also is worth expanding the 17 18 discussion on. LED's are the technology. You're probably guite familiar with them. They're brighter, cheaper, last 19 20 longer, to the tune of twice as bright. They may last four 21 times longer. They're directional. They go a long ways towards making the night seem like day and for not as much 23 money. And so, again, that one I would like to see our

24 facilities all go LED as soon as we can, especially if they

13 we'd like to see those throughout our system eventually.

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1 in on or about April of, in this case, 2018. And then there will be another update for the governor's recommendation that will come in October, November of 2018. And then there will be a third one coming in during the legislative session. So there will be this update of this projection. So it's kind of a process that happens that enables the agencies to do recommendations or capital planning, operational planning, the governor's office to do their planning and budget request to the legislature. And then the legislature for final approval. So that whole system is a little bit of a process. And, as Ralph mentioned, we interact at all of those stages to ensure the construction thinking regarding cost and 13 schedule are included in the -- in what finally gets -- which 14 may change during the governor's recommendation or the legislative approval. Thank you.

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. Next 17 up, number 46, again, showers at the correctional center with 18 cuff ports.

Moving on, the macerators, this is at the 19 20 women's. That's to -- That's another common problem across 21 the board. Prisoners don't have trash cans in their cells 22 for obvious reasons and they tend to use the toilets at their 23 trash can and you get all kinds of organics and whatever 24 coming through there. And this will help mitigate that. And

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1 wear out, that's what we will do. But to the extent that 2 this is a camp and we have them at Southern Desert. And I don't know how many of you have driven by there at night. I have not. But apparently at Southern Desert Facility on the 5 lower part of the complex is much brighter than that at High Desert because they have the LED and High Desert doesn't. So it's graphic, as I understand, and it's just like the water-saving device. In terms of energy savings it's a real plus. 9

1.0 Having said that, I see I gave it a B for the 11 water savings control. That actually should be an A, if I could redo that again. 12

But, okay, the next one is another one of those 13 14 six master plan projects. This is to build Prison 8. 15 think you are somewhat familiar, quite familiar with that 16 project. This, again, would be a planning effort.

MR. PATRICK: Excuse me, Mr. Chairman. Ward 17 18 Patrick. To give -- To give Ralph a little break and maybe 19 get a drink, I would interject a little bit of information 20 about what was discussed as the JFA projections or the 21 overall master planning process.

The state has been in contract with JFA for over 22 23 a decade. And JFA provides these projections to enable 24 agency recommendation. So there's the projection that comes 1 you'll see that show up two or three times in these CIP's. More window replacement on the next one. Shower stalls at Pioche. Again, it's on that same theme.

And at Lovelock. There's the high-mast and 5 interior lighting, which I can't overemphasize. It's a very good investment for both energy savings and security. The technology is there and we should take advantage of it and it will overall save us on energy usage.

Okay. I think we got about 30 minutes left. So 10 I don't know if there will be questions or not. But I assume 11 if there are questions you can ask them during or whatever. 12 But I can speed this up too. And I wouldn't mind getting 13 through these first 80 because they're more formal than the 14 next 63 we don't have to spend much time on.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: We're keeping notes. So just 15 16 go ahead and go through them all and then we'll leave about 17 ten minutes at the end for questions. Thank you.

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. 51, industrial dishwashers. Again, aging process.

Down in Jean, renovate the HVAC system and the 21 kitchen equipment.

The next one is one we had -- When we were doing 22 23 these early this spring we had a notion of taking over the 24 National Guard Armory, which has been delayed. But it was

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sitting there and it looked like something we could use for
 training, to expand our training. Maybe provide staff
 housing, possibly retain our staff up there more. We have a
 fair amount of turnover up there. But that project has been
 put on hold internally. So at this time I think it's

5 put on hold internally. So at this time I think it's6 essentially off the list.

Next one, Northern Nevada, exterior doors.

HVAC system at High Desert. Again, that's more temperature control than the actual entire system.

MR. PATRICK: Excuse me, Mr. Chairman. Ward
Patrick. So I just want to make sure everybody is following
where we are. So we're talking about the renovating National
Guard, number 53. And that might be prioritized lower on the
list if it was to be reprioritized today. Is that where
you're going with that?

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. I'm going to have the director, deputy director, on this one.

MR. DZURENDA: Yeah. James Dzurenda for the record. What this was all about, it was a housing area that the National Guard used to utilize that's been vacant for years for their staff. And up at Ely it's very difficult to get staff to work there and keep them there. Our vacancy rates are the highest out of any other facilities just

24 because of the remote locations. These are just areas that

business and going more digital, which makes, again, is more
consistent with the technology that's out there and is more
functional. And the bubble with housing unit eight is the
southern control station and it's loaded with – loaded with
terminals and analog switches and whatever. And now it will
be reduced to a couple of screens and it will be much more
efficient. And they're having success with the costing seems
to be coming in less than anticipated. So we're able to use
the excess money elsewhere to do the same thing.

Okay. 58, evaporative coolers and air handlers
up there at Warm Springs need to be replaced. Also window
issues at several facilities, several structures.
Southern Desert, that's an expansion of the

Southern Desert, that's an expansion of the existing administration building and house.

Number 60. We've got 20 more to go. And here is an LED request for those five facilities. And I just talked about why that is needed. I can't overemphasize enough the importance of that. It's a good investment of our monies. It saves us energy. It's longer lasting. And they take out blind spots. As opposed to traditional lighting, you can direct this to the — any blind spots better. So that is of much importance if we can ultimately get our major facilities, which those are, lit up that way.

Warm Springs. Again, I talked about that

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we believe that we would be able to if we utilized them will be able to get more staff to actually work there or hired to work there so that they could either live there and pay rent or have a place so that we can hold staff over for two shifts that actually live two hours away so that they don't have to drive home, things like that. And we could also utilize a training center there. We've gotten to different routes of recruiting out in Wells and that area to try to get more staff there. So we have seen some of our — a decrease in our vacancies that are for our positions there so that we're — if we continue and try to come up with more creative ways to hire out that way this may be less necessary down the road. But I want to leave it on the table for just an anomaly based on how well the mining business goes up there

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. Thank you. Keep moving here. Number 56, evaporative coolers need to be replaced in five housing units at the camp.

This next one is worth expanding some discussion on. Cell doors and locks. We've seen that in many locations. High Desert just went through that process, replaced a lot of its doors and locks and renovating the unit down in Southern Desert and putting in these new doors and locks. And for starters we're getting out of the analog

1 macerator is similar, the whole complex is the head works but
2 the grinder to take care of those inorganics comes down the
3 pipeline from those flushings.

At Stewart, design or renovate the culinary.

And then we have an armory in need at Southern Desert that would satisfy that. And then at Stewart is another plan development. This is a planning effort for two buildings.

Okay. 66, Culinary HVAC system needs to be replaced at Northern Nevada.

High Desert, we have seven boilers that need to be upgraded.

Lovelock, again, stainless steel showers. We talked about that and the need for those and how well they wear and tear or do not wear and tear.

Northern Nevada, again, that's renovate fire ranges. That is the corollary to the steel traps. And that's why it's ranked lower. Because I'd like to see that money spent initially on the steel traps. Of course, renovate if we can do that too.

Florence McClure, we have overhead plumbing and domestic water problems. Similar to what Ely is going through, I believe, but maybe not as pervasive or severe.

71, 9400 square foot administration building to

and the staff.

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1 be built along with an armory and locksmith.

72, interior needs to be sealed in all the 2 3 buildings.

73, renovate the plumbing and laundry room.

74 is another planning effort to renovate both 5 the domestic water and sanitary sewers. 6

Up at Ely, upgrade the recreational area of

fencing. We talked about that before. We have a lot of, because it is a maximum custody facility, there are a lot of provisions in place so that didn't get as high in ranking as the other facilities that don't have quite the security that

12 Ely has. Warm Springs, guard tower. Now, we were saying 13 we're getting rid of guard towers. But this one is needed

15 because we closed, as you're aware of, and that guard tower 16 was at NSP was there to watch both facilities. And so now it's not being manned and so we have a void at Warm Springs. 17

Carlin, I think this is the only one for Carlin

19 that we've seen so far. They want an emergency generator. Lovelock, water tank bypass and water meter needs 20

21 to be installed. Northern Nevada, again, this is that lock and key 22

23 system that we're talking about that we feel like we've got a 24 good system that's working and proven elsewhere and seems to 1 that or I can send the staff to other places to help with the overtime.

But the big thing was that at Three Lakes is what 3 I wanted to concentrate on with the additional security because that also has the closest proximity to the medical departments that are needed if there's an emergency. So I can put not only higher level minimums there but also those that have medical/mental health borderline issues that are minimum, I can put them there. Because if I put them out in 9 to the further frontier and urban areas, it's further away 10 from medical services. So that's why I concentrated on Three Lakes. It does have the most amount of medical services if 13 necessary and it's closest proximity to a higher level facility. And I can actually join those so that we don't even have to -- if we have to move an inmate from one camp Three Lakes over to Southern Desert, I don't even have to take them out of the facility. I can walk them over to a 17 higher level facility if I have to. So it just makes more 19 sense that the concentration there and build up the bed space and fill them up. 21

MR. PATRICK: Mr. Chairman, Ward Patrick for the 22 record. I believe that's priority ten where the project is weatherizing in the top and bottom of each security fence and 24 convert existing gate in to a saddle port. So the project

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1 be more attractive economically than we originally thought.

And Southern Desert, same thing on that water control issue. It makes sense to provide that to the

facilities and save water and reduce our capacity waste water system. 5

Okay. So now we're in to our final 63 and I have 6 five minutes. One mustn't --

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: I would just like to open it up for questions on the first 80 if we could for a moment. Director, if you could, can you, or Mr. Wagner, remind me or 10 remind the board of there were two or three particular 11 12 requests that would allow you to utilize those beds that you 13 talked about and provide the necessary security. Can you 14 remind us which ones those are that would allow you to free 15 up those beds at those minimum security areas?

MR. DZURENDA: Mr. Chairman, James Dzurenda for 16 17 the record. So the beds that minimally was Three Lakes, 18 Three Lakes beds are where most of our bed vacancies are. 19 And I can shift inmates, just so you know. Just because 20 there's empty beds at Three Lakes doesn't mean I can't shift 21 inmates from the other camps to Three Lakes and adjust it. 22 But what I did was is we had one location with reduced amount 23 of beds because it will help me with staffing levels, so I 24 won't need as many staff or reduce the overtime needed for 1 we're talking about is correction priority ten.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. I just wanted to make -- I noted that. But I just wanted to make sure that there weren't other priorities that I missed along the way that would achieve the objective that you started with. Thank you. Are there any other questions?

MEMBER LEWIS: Kevin Lewis for the record. Gentlemen, have you done any research for the cost savings for the LED implementation across the board or the water 10 savings on the newer technology? Thank you.

MR. WAGNER: Yeah. I didn't expand upon it very 11 12 much. But my understanding on lights, four times more life 13 than the traditional, high sodium, high pressure sodium I 14 believe is the traditional light. So these are four times 15 longer life. Twice -- Half, excuse me, 50 percent of the 16 energy usage.

MR. PATRICK: Ralph, if I may interject. For the 18 record, Ward Patrick. So the Southern Desert Correctional 19 Center installation, there's basically the same number of 20 fixtures out there, but the power use is approximately 350 21 watts per fixture compared to high pressure sodium that would 22 be a thousand watts per fixture plus the balance. So it's 23 more than -- So it's saving 66 percent or more. So it's a 24 third of the usage or less, third of the usage or less.

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1 that they might be replacing older systems with newer 2 systems. And the longevity is another key item in the LED 3 arena where these high pressure sodium lamps might have a 4 5,000 hour life. The LED's, you know, would be 40,000 hours 5 plus. So they might have eight times the longevity. And so 6 that would really be operational for their maintenance and relate to better light beyond more, less failures. Thank you. Я

plan and a capital program. MR. WAGNER: And I'll just reiterate that that 11 water savings we're seeing quantitatively a 50 to 70 percent 12 reduction. So it's significant. Cost wise I didn't ask with 13 Mr. Patrick on lighting, high sodium, high pressure sodium versus LED. I've seen it both ways. But I think it's comparable, the pricing, for one versus the other.

And in the water savings arena, we're on well

2 systems. And so, you know, a lot of times in the water

savings you would be looking at saving so many gallons and

4 then you would use your rate of so many dollars per thousand

5 gallons of what would be charged. But here we're looking at

6 saving infrastructure. So as we save water in the heated

7 springs complex area, we will be reducing our need to expand,

say, the new system or convert to a mechanical waste water

MR. WAGNER: Ralph Wagner for the record. What is the time right now, five minutes? Okay. So I'm going to 10 sum up these next 63, zip through them pretty quickly. And of course if there's any questions. But let me just outline 13 the format.

15 MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. 16 Regarding pricing of these, the fixtures alone, early on, 17 say, six or eight years ago, these high bay fixtures were 18 being priced at \$2500 a unit. In the recent years, last two 19 or three years, the pricing has gone down to less than half of that. And so the Southern Desert installation was 21 completed at these higher priced levels. And there's been proposals to do kind of self-funded out of correction budgets 23 24 to kind of an in-house lease purchase arrangement. We had a

It's the facility. Of course, the ranking is the 14 first number and then it just continues on. So that's part of our vetting process. In the facility, the title, and then that's the tracking number. Again, if it's a 7,000 series, 18 it's one that was not funded two years ago. If it's a 19,000 19 series it's proposed this biennium. And of course then the 20 costing, which reflects Public Works effort to go through 21 some detail and put a number to it, that is reflected in your handout that I think you have in front of you. 22 23

In summary, we have 134 million dollars of 24 proposed CIP in that last increment of 63. And a breakdown,

1 project before the board that went to the governor, the 2 governor and to the legislature, and we entitled that S-11 3 project for energy retrofit in the past. And so we would see 4 where a lot of these LED projects were in there, whether it 5 be high bay or inside the building, we had other mechanical 6 electrical upgrades in this project. And it was not accepted. It was seen as risky for the agency's operating

8 budgets. The savings wouldn't have been guaranteed, say, by a third party. 9 10

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Just to follow up on that, 11 Mr. Patrick, I'm glad you brought that up. Because I do 12 remember that. Now that we have some history with respect to 13 that and have realized those savings, I wonder if that's not 14 worth revisiting to see if these particular upgrades could be done out of the budget. I don't necessarily see them as a CIP per se. If we're talking three times the savings, there's obviously the initial cost. But I wonder if there's 17 a different way to approach this, because to me it seems like money that's being left on the table that we can realize 19 immediately or at least in the next couple of years, which is 20 obviously penciling based on what's happened in the last 21 22 couple of years.

MR. PATRICK: Yeah. Ward Patrick for the record. 23 24 I can't speak to the operating budget. But Ralph did refer

1 the primary component is infrastructure. Not surprising.

But distribution in the other three categories, similar. Again, 83, firing range improvements. We talked 3 about that versus the steel traps.

High mast lighting is in there. A lot of similar projects that we mentioned. Perimeter fencing. We've got a 6 fair number of fencing projects. That's another one, number 7 89. 8

Armory, we had that proposed, higher priority for 10 Southern Desert. And this is for Northern Nevada. High mast lighting, cell reports, HVAC, water conservation, always a 11 12 get idea.

101, again, high mast lighting. We've touched on 13 14 that several times and its benefit. That's out at Warm 15 Springs.

Now, at 108, doors, locks, and controls. Again, 16 17 that's shown up in several of our requests. Perimeter 18 lighting, same thing. Firing range renovation, high mast 19 lighting, a lot of similar just different locations. All 20 of -- Many of them reflecting what I call the aging process. 21 They're just going to have to deal with maintenance like any 22 facility in the state or wherever has to deal with.

128 is TV system, that's part of what is 23

24 required.

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Warehouse expansion, 124. Again, firing range improvement. 2

To speak on that though, I think for, again, to have that steel trap both up north and down south, I think that would be what I think would make sense where they wouldn't all have to travel to Northern Nevada and so versus 7 for the short term fix for our firing range issues.

Okay. Again, fencing, shaker fence. That's a 8 little bit different twist to fencing. But it's another security, better security than a conventional fence. 10

And 137 is a major overhaul of the restrooms. 11 12 And there's seven units. And you may remember we're renovating housing unit eight at Southern Desert. So that's going to happen there with that renovation.

And the last three similar to the first 140 in 15 some respects. The aging process, the need for maintenance. 16 The rest of these I'm not going to get in to.

17 18 It's the state-wide project. I believe there's a time slot later today for that. And no need to get in to that yet. So 19 we'll finish with that. 20

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Mr. Wagner, and 21 22 director. Are there any questions before we wrap up? Member Hand. 23

MEMBER HAND: I just have a question on --

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MS. MILLER: Mr. Chair, Members of the Board, my 2 name is Kat Miller. I'm the director of Veterans Services for the State of Nevada. And today I'm joined by Ms. Amy Garland, who is our executive officer. If you're ready, sir, I'll begin. 5

Amy, if you'll do the slide. I only have one slide to give you an overview of our department. This is in case we have some new members that aren't familiar with the 9 agency.

So, by statute, Nevada Department of Veterans 10 Services is responsible for giving aid, assistance, and counsel to each and every problem, question, situation, 13 individual, as well as collective involving veterans, service 14 members, members of the National Guard reserves or their family members. It's our mission and one our agency takes 15 very seriously. 16

We have four major programs. One, we submit 17 18 health veterans claims for benefits, both state and federal. 19 We provide a skilled nursing facility at our home in Boulder 20 City and soon to be opened a new home here in Sparks that's 21 under construction. Ribbon cutting December 17th. You're 22 all invited to come. It's going to be great fun. We provide 23 dignified burial support at our veterans cemeteries in 24 Boulder City and in Fernley and we help veterans successfully

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1 reintegrate in to Nevada communities, everything from

disabled vets program to suicide prevention, homelessness, a plethora of services to meet needs of our veterans. We have 16 items to discuss today. And they're in seven -- I'm sorry -- in seven broad categories. And

before I go in to the 16 items, I just want to give you an overview of these seven broad categories.

Category number one is life safety. There are 9 three items that we're going to be requesting valued at about 10 2.2 million dollars altogether. If we don't get those three, 11 we're going to be unable to operate the Nevada State Veterans 12 Home past 2020.

The next involves security. \$227,000 item to 14 provide a secure environment for our residents, especially 15 those with memory diagnoses that are at risk of elopement.

Then there's a category of cemetery expansion. 17 You're going to see requests totalling \$326,000. This is for 18 project management costs. The projects themselves will be 19 funded by US Department of Veterans Affairs grant in the 20 amount of about nine million dollars. But in order to 21 qualify for the grant, we have to pay for project management CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Gentlemen. I think | 22 fees. If we don't get this, we'll run out of room in about 23 three to four years for certain categories and internments at 24 our cemeteries.

1 Several of these fencing projects are safety, right, is the reason for them and I'm curious why they don't rank higher if there's risk to the enforcement officers in the prison system. Some of them are pretty far down the list. If you 5 think about it, people are more important than anything; right? So that's a question.

MR. DZURENDA: Sure. James Dzurenda for the

8 record. So there's a couple pieces to the fencing projects. And one of them is that most of it is expansion of areas to 10 allow for programming. So if you have an industry like down 11 in High Desert State Prison, their original intention of that 12 industries building was outside of our grounds. So when you 13 want to increase programming and industries, you want to put 14 higher risk inmates in there with that. So a lot of times

15 with that, also with the camps that I was talking about, so that we can increase security to bring them in. 16

What we have now is good, what we have it for. 17 18 There's no violations or jeopardizing safety and security for 19 the community. But if I want to expand areas for higher 20 levels, I need fencing.

MEMBER HAND: Thank you.

21 22 23 we're going to take about a ten-minute recess.

(Break was taken) 24

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The next category is several items of deferred maintenance that equal \$703,000. Most of this is cemetery 2 deferred maintenance. 3

New construction. There's two new construction items in here, a communal shelter and maintenance shop. 5 And then there's 1.7 million you're going to see.

This is Boulder City street improvements. And this would be a 1990 agreement we made with the City of Boulder. 8

And the last category is advanced planning in the amount of one million dollars for a water -- taking a look at 10 other ways to deliver water for irrigation at our Northern 11 12 Nevada cemetery. Anyway, you're not going to see that in your book. But I wanted to let you know that there are seven broad categories and now we're going to go in to each of the individual items. 15

And the first one is in that first category of 16 life safety. And it's replacement of hot water storage tanks 17 18 at our Nevada State Veterans in Boulder City. The lining of 19 both of the tanks, the hot water tanks, we have compromised 20 resulting in corrosion. According to the manufacturer, the tanks should last six to 20 years. We're just over -- We're 21 close to seven years now. And by the time we replace it, it 22 will be at eight years. We are consulting with State Public 23 24 Works with concerns as to why the eight-year mark we're going

1 is that category two security. So during the last CIP we 2 were able to get some funds to improve the hardware for our 3 doors and windows at the Nevada State Veterans Home. As we 4 completed that project to replace and repair the hardware, the installation contractor realized that we had some problems with the circuitry. And this is pretty technical. But we have high and low voltage that are not doing aligned properly and so the doors don't lock all the time. If your magnetic doors aren't going to be working all the time, 10 somebody with a memory care diagnosis can push that door open 11 and elope, and that's the last thing that we want to happen. Are there any questions on this? Thank you. 12

Cemetery expansion. The next two involve cemetery expansions. Right now we have two types of 14 internments we do. One is in a columbarium wall and then we have internments that are in ground. In ground can both be 16 cremains or they can be casket. 17

So right now for in ground cremains, and that's 18 different from in ground caskets, because the in ground 19 caskets take more room and you have to put vaults in the 21 ground. But we're almost out of room for in ground cremains 22 in a columbarium. I didn't think we would be out of room for 23 five more years. But what has happened is the way people 24 choose to intern their loved ones, they're going from in

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1 to have to replace tanks. But the bottom line is they are 2 corroded and have to be replaced, otherwise we'll not be able to use them for hot water. Are there any questions on this item before I go to the next one?

Okay. The next item is replacement of the culinary refrigeration units. The existing equipment is 18 years old. According to the estimated useful life of depreciable costs of assets, 15 years is the life, expected life span of this equipment.

But, more importantly, this operates on R-22 gas. You all probably know a lot more than I do and I'm getting 11 really smart on it. But the EPA said that you can no longer manufacture or import this type of gas because it's harmful to the ozone. And so if we don't replace this equipment, we will not be able to operate it because there will be no gas past 1 January of 2020. Are there any questions on this item?

Next item, we're going to the chiller 19 replacement. This also runs on R-22 gas, so we have the same problem. It has to be replaced by 2020 or we'll no longer be 20 able to get the R-22 gas that it takes to operate it. Also, 21 it is going to hit the end of its useful service life. It's 22 eight years old now. Questions?

Okay. Next item. Magnetic door control. This

1 ground caskets to cremains and it's been a really rapid shift 2 and it's changing all of our plans. And so we're going to 3 have to put a lot more replacement in to columbarium walls, 4 which is cheaper, and cremains rather than in ground casket. 5 But we're going to have to do this or we're going to run out of room in 3.9 years.

The VA has been really good. If you can show that you have a need for it, they will fund it. They'll fund everything except project management. So this CIP will be state except for the project management. 10

The next one is the same issue. It's just the 11 12 Southern Nevada Cemetery. And their projections are 3.6 13 years rather than 3.9. Are there any questions on these two cemetery expansion projects? 14

Okay. We'll go on to the next category, which 16 is -

MR. PATRICK: Excuse me, Mr. Chairman. Ward 17 18 Patrick for the record. So we're talking about the funding 19 on these projects. And if we can talk a little -- if I can 20 address when that funding would be available and then talk 21 about the years that we have left for available columbariums 22 or -- columbariums.

MS. MILLER: Kat Miller for the record. So the 23 24 way the Department of Veterans Affairs work it is when you

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1 send in a grant request, they compare all of the states with 2 the years of available -- What's the term? Amy, help me with 3 this. Your capacity, your remaining capacity. So if Texas 4 were to come in and have two years of remaining capacity, 5 they would get funded before we would. However, there has 6 not been since I've been here six years on the job, anytime we submitted a grant, we've been able to get the funding before we've ran out of space. And congress does a really good job at funding the VA to make sure the state is maintaining that useful life. Not useful life. The capacity. 11

And so we have the grant in draft right now. 13 We're waiting for the final numbers for what the state thinks it might cost. And of course the approval. I don't want to 15 submit the grant until I know that we've got the project 16 management fees for that. We'll submit the grant. And then 17 the VA will keep it. And at such time as they feel we need 18 the money in order to make sure that we have capacity, then they'll award that grant.

Again, right now my biggest concern is 20 21 columbariums. We have 3.6 years of remaining in Southern 22 Nevada and 3.9 remaining in Northern Nevada for columbariums. 23 So what happens if we run out of room and we don't have more 24 columbariums? We can offer them the option of in ground, 1 this pavilion. And then we have many large ceremonies during the year to include memorial ceremonies where we have almost 5,000 people show up. So this is a center line to our veterans and it's unsightly and I would like to see that fixed. 5

Next slide. Install water softening system. You 6 can see the calcium build-up in the Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery. The water is really bad. And, of course, we clean it up. Little bags of vinegar will clean that stuff 10 up. But it's constantly getting jammed with corrosive water 11 material. The water softening system would help prevent that. Questions on this project? Hearing none, we'll go to the next one. 13

This is in the category of new construction. At 14 15 the Northern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery you saw the 16 area that needs to be improved, the pavilion. If we have 17 another service shelter, we can do more than one service at 18 the same time. Right now we can only in inclement weather or 19 even in summer where people are standing outside where it's 20 super sunny. This is where services are done prior to going to the grave site. A new service shelter would increase our capacity and capability to conduct services.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: I've got a quick question on 24 this one.

1 which we have a few more years on that. We have five and six years for in ground cremains. Or we can tell them, I'm sorry, you can't be buried at a Nevada Veterans Memorial

Cemetery.

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Does that answer your questions, Mr. Patrick? 5 Okay. 6

So we'll go on to category four, which is several projects that involve deferred maintenance. I've got some pictures on here. You can see this for protection bollards, door hardware, and windows. This has been a request for the 10 last two CIP's. Will it keep us from doing our work? No. 1.1 12 However, it is unsightly and it does cause other maintenance 13 problems. However, for the windows we've had to replace the 14 carpets twice because you get water that comes in and stains and that sort of thing. Are there any questions on this? 15

Okay. We'll go to the next one. Pavilion 16 17 renovation. This is the Northern Nevada Veterans Memorial 18 Cemetery in Fernley. What you're looking at is the inside. The panels are fogging over. They leak. It's just 1.9 20 unsightly. And so what this would do would be to renovate 21 not only the windows that you see but the seals around the aluminum framing and it would clean and seal the masonry 22

We have on average eight ceremonies a day using 24

MS. MILLER: Yes. Mr. Chair.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Are there opportunities for a project such as this for any type of fundraising to be able to provide some level of match that would potentially increase the chances of funding?

MS. MILLER: Kat Miller for the record. I'm so glad you mentioned that. So I have some pretty dynamic superintendents at the cemetery. And one of them has entered in to an agreement with Home Depot and involving in the particular district just this laundry list of things, 11 everything from fertilizer to paint and et cetera. We do a 12 ton of this stuff ourselves. But this type of construction 13 on the side would have to go through State Public Works. And 14 so as far as providing the materials, we now just got this 15 week the ability to take donations on our website by credit

16 card. And we are definitely going to be looking and asking 17 for donations and support from the community. But I can't 18 depend on that. So I'm putting it in as a CIP. But just as 19 we did last year and the one before, as we get additional 20 funds, whether they be from federal grants or from donations,

21 we would then be able to reduce the cost of the project. But 22 at this point since I don't even have approval on the

23 projects, I haven't been seeking anything.

But I can tell you we've worked very, very hard

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walls.

1 with community partners and other partners to find other sources of money. My motto is spend other people's money, as my staff will tell you, and we work really hard to do that. So the next project is interior and exterior

painting and ceiling replacement at the Southern Nevada 5 Veterans Memorial Cemetery. This is also the third time that the State Public Works Board has seen this project. Paint is peeling off, falling on folks inside and outside the chapel. And you can see the challenges with the ceiling replacement. Any questions? 10

Okay. Going to the next one, this is another new 11 project for our maintenance shop at the Northern Nevada 12 Veterans Memorial Cemetery. This is for tractors, backhoes, 1.3 14 the equipment we need to maintain the grounds. They're in 15 need of extensive repair, both exterior and interior. And according to State Public Works representatives, it would 16 save money. It would be cheaper just to replace the whole 17 thing rather than to try to repair the existing structure. 18

And the next one, lighting. And I heard you all 19 talk about lighting with Department of Corrections. Same 20 arguments hold true. The LED is more light, less cost, 21 longer life. But the lights that we do have there right now 22 are starting to fail. Just yesterday I got a call from our 23 24 superintendent that the lights on the flags weren't working.

1 1990, an agreement was made, an informal agreement was made, 2 with Boulder City that we would do on-site and off-site

3 improvements to include street improvements in conjunction

4 with the cemetery. And this is actually on Boulder City

5 streets. Due to budget constraints the project was allowed 6 to proceed with the understanding that a future CIP request

7 would be made to improve the remainder of Quail Road. I

8 think every year since 1990, the CIP project has come up to 9 improve Quail Road. Why isn't it a high priority? Because 10 there's nothing that -- It doesn't cause any problems. Some

11 day there will be. It is unsightly. We did make a promise 12 to Boulder City. But it doesn't have a life safety or an

operational impact at this time. 13

And the last one I have for you is advanced 14 planning for irrigation water delivery system. And this is 15

for the Northern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery in 16 17 Fernley. Every year water costs go up. With the increase in 18 the size of the community, especially with new businesses

coming in there, we anticipate the water continuing to go up. 20 We're using city water to irrigate the lawn. There are other

21 options. One we're looking at is using surface water. We're 22 also looking at wells. The study is not complete yet. But

23 we do know that to take it any further we're going to need to 24 do a planning grant to actually take a look at the best water

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Right now if you do a cost benefit analysis, it's probably cheaper to use city water than to do a big million 4 dollar project to bring in surface water. I don't think 5 that's going to be true in five to ten years. I think it's going to be cheaper to use another source. Now is the time

rather than to wait until we can't afford the water. Again, if we don't do this, it doesn't have a 8

life-saving impact or an immediate operational impact. It 9 just kicks the can down the road to a time where we can no 10 longer afford to use city water. 11

So, Mr. Chair, Members of the Board, that 12

13 concludes my presentation. Do you have any other questions? CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Director. Any 14 15 questions from the board? Thank you very much.

MS. MILLER: Thank you, sir. Thank you, 16

17 gentlemen.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. At this time we're going 18 19 to conclude for lunch. And I think we're scheduled to be

20 back at 12:45 to get started; correct? 21 (Lunch recess was taken)

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. We're going to get 22

23 started with military. Gentlemen, you have the floor. MR. CHAPPELL: All right. I'm Clayton Chappell.

1 They were making clicking sounds. That was as much as he 2 knew. He was going to hit it with a hammer to see if 3 anything worked. But we were going to call State Public Works to see if we could get extra lights. They're very old. They're 25 years old.

And even though we're only an eight to five operation, the cemetery is open 24/7. So you have people 7 8 coming in at all hours from out of state or out of town to visit their loved ones. And so it's very important to have that lighting working during hours of darkness. Are there 10 any questions on the lighting? 11

Hearing none, the next was the entry archway. I 12 just pulled this project. And I apologize for wasting your 13 14 time on this. But this was in 1990 when they constructed the cemetery they didn't have enough money to finish the arch. 15 And so we've been carrying this as an item to do the arch. 16 It would create the complete arch over the top. But I just 1.7 looked at the drawings and I don't really like it. I think 18 it looks better the way it is right now. So I pulled it. I 19 apologize for wasting your time with this item on there. 20 Although some other director in the future may say what are 21 you thinking. 22

The next item is Quail Drive improvements. When 23 24 we built the Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Page 88

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1 I'm the director of installation and environment for the 2 Nevada National Guard. I have with me Mr. Chad Reese. He oversees the facility maintenance projects for us.

One other individual that was going to be here and was actually going to do a majority of the presentation, Mr. Brian Hunsager, who is our project and design manager, his children got in an auto accident, so he's unable to be 8 here today. So we are the back-up to this. We're going to 9 try.

So we are post-lunch entertainment for this 11 afternoon. We'll try to keep you entertained as we go through these various projects that we have.

I first want to explain just a little bit about 13 14 some of the funding. Some of the board members may not be familiar with the Office of the Military's funding that we 15 get on the federal side. Typically there's two sources of 17 funding that we get. There's a whole bunch of other sources 18 that we ultimately end up getting funds from. But the two 19 primary sources is the military construction fund. And we 20 also get what's called sustainment restoration modernization funds. Maintenance and repair projects. 21

The military construction funds that we get is 22 often times spread out all the states and territories across 24 the US. And as a small state we're pretty successful. We 1 the projects is last biennium, we had, I think it was about 2 eight projects. We executed -- With the federal dollars that we had, we were able to execute in the first year of the

biennium. Meaning the second year we didn't have the state funds and so we couldn't do any of these projects that required state funding. So I'm just kind of giving you a picture of how successful we have been in getting federal dollars. Now, our ability factor is getting the state

dollars to execute. So if there aren't any questions, with that we'll start with our very first project. 10

Our first project is, as I mentioned, is the 11 12 Speedway Readiness Center. This was in the '17 CIP. It was 13 project C-05. And with inflation that obviously everyone has 14 experienced, we have done several steps to try to cut back on 15 this project. And we now need 3.4 million dollars to finish 16 this project. There are several items that we need. It's 17 like military parking, kitchen equipment, caging, cages in 18 the storage rooms for sensitive items and also equipment 19 storage lockers. We've excluded them from the project at 20 this time. They're added to bid items based on the bids that 21 we adhere. And we anticipate a November bid opening for this 22 project. 23

Here are some of the steps that we've taken to 24 reduce cost, just to reduce the project. We've reduced it by

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1 get them about every -- We get them about every -- about 2 every five years, which is advantageous to us to try to catch up with all of the growth that we've had in the Office of the Military and the National Guard.

And our first project that we're going to 6 ultimately talk about is one of those military construction projects. It was first designed under the '17 CIP. And we plan on going to construction in '19 on this one. And if majority of the funds that we get are, as I said, sustainment 10 restoration modernization or military SRM funds and we have 11 been very successful in the State of Nevada grabbing end of 12 the year funds on the fiscal year. We execute anywhere from 13 three to upwards of five million dollars towards the end of a 14 fiscal year. I think last year we were close to three 15 million dollars.

And so the difficulty we have is our facilities 17 are tied to the state match. Not all of them, but a majority 18 of them are. And so when we go to execute and we get the 19 federal dollars in the middle of a biennium, we end up having 20 to put that funding towards our federal facilities or federal 21 supported facilities rather than our state facilities. And as we go through this, you'll see why we need additional 23 state dollars in order to execute the more federal dollars. One last thing before we start getting through

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2 items in to alternate bid items. And also we have requested additional funds. Now, this will be based on bids that come back. Once we get the bids back and we'll go back to 5 National Guard and say, hey, can you squeeze out a couple 6 million to three million dollars to help us finalize this project. Without that, we are relying on the state at

1 25,000 square feet. As I said, we moved these particular

roughly 3.4 million dollars to complete this project. MR. PATRICK: Mr. Chairman, Ward Patrick, if I 10 can interiect.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Please.

11 MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. So 13 there's a number of projects that are in construction that 14 have been experiencing this double digit hyper-inflation. 15 And so I would let the board know that the team has been 16 working closely on this project and other projects to try to 17 meet all of the original programatic needs but still fall 18 within the budget. And so some other projects that this has 19 happened to is Department of Motor Vehicles. We heard from 20 them already, I believe. No. They'll be this afternoon 21 right before administration. So there will be a project that 22 looks like this, we'll call it a completion project.

When we had double digit inflation back in the 24 mid 2000s, there were a lot of completion projects that were

going through the legislature. So this is kind of a hyper-inflation type of a normal reaction.

And so -- But, again, you'll see that these

agencies with the design team and the Public Works management staff, everybody is working vigorously to provide the right building but figure out how to make it the most efficient building it can be, remove things that maybe Chris Chimmits would have loved to have seen, architectural fluff, you know. We're now getting a plainer, simpler type of structure, meeting the programatic needs. 10

And so the DMV project we'll see this afternoon, 11 we've basically received information from the Interim Finance 12 Committee to proceed with that project on this reduced basis. We've already been working on the UNR engineering building that was discussed yesterday. It's a construction project. We brought in four million dollars of other funding on that project. So these three construction projects have seen the 17 effects of the inflation and there's been solutions moving 18 forward. And so this is a solution for this project. 19

So the team is working hard on this and kind of 20 21 holding it within the team s realm of influence. But yet there's these items that would have all of these alternates. 23 And so we come to the table and we look at these projects and 24 the lockers and wire partitions, which is how they organize

1 Northern Nevada. If you've ever been there on a drill weekend, nearly a thousand troops and aviation soldiers roaming this complex up at the Stead Airport.

But when it was constructed in the late nineties, 5 it was not a requirement to have an emergency generator. But

6 as it is being designated as an emergency center, we see the need and we know the requirement to have an emergency generator. So obviously it will be sized for the facility and we're asking -- And with each one of these projects, except for the very first one, we're asking for a match to

our federal dollars that we'll bring to the table. 11

If there are no questions on this one, we'll go to the next one. All right. The next one is we're going to bounce around the state, north, south. So this one is in Southern Nevada and this is in our Clark County Readiness Center, which is in North Las Vegas. This was built in the mid-nineties. And that picture there is actually of the bathroom, the shower stalls there. We have, once again, roughly a thousand -- 600 soldiers training at this site. 20 But, again, when we're bringing in soldiers from Arizona to match up with the rest of the units, we'll be up to a thousand soldiers. And the bathrooms have not been maintained well enough and they're falling apart and does not 24 meet the requirements that we have to maintain.

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1 the individual equipment and all of the platoons equipment to keep them orderly, they really need that. And so all of these items on here are things that are really needed. There are other alternates considered in the projects that are nice 5 to have.

So I would just leave you with the thought that you can see the square footage was optimized and this request was down to what was needed, not everything that could have been put in to the project. Thank you.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Mr. Patrick. And 11 just for clarification, this project is designed and ready to go; correct? And if the answer to that is yes, does the 12 current design reflect the reduced scope that you mentioned?

MR. CHAPPELL: For the record, Clayton Chappell, 14 15 Army National Guard. We're going to finalize the design next month and then go in to bid, have the bids in November and 1.6 hope for construction. It does reflect all of the 17 reductions. 18

If there aren't any questions, we'll go to the second one. All right. The second one is the next project is an emergency generator. This is not an emergency generator we currently have. We would like to have one. This is a picture of one that we would like to have. At the 24 Washoe County Armory we have, it is a command center for

And, in addition, as it says, female soldiers, 2 the bathrooms is way inadequate for that. So what this would do is redesign both the men's bathroom and the female bathroom and make them meet requirements and make it so that -- When folks shower there, there's a smell that permeates through that building. It's not draining properly and we have a whole bunch of issues. Once again, there's federal dollars. We need the state match to complete this project. If there are no questions on this one, we'll go to the next one. 10

The next one is at our Henderson Readiness 11 Center. Similar to the one we just talked about, this is 12 another bathroom. This, however, was built in the 1970s. 13 There's been quite a bit of work done and we appreciate the board and the support that we've had at that facility, 15 massive changes we've done to that building. One of the last 16 items that we have is the bathrooms need to be redone to meet 17 18 the requirement. Once again, federal dollars will be brought 19 forward and we need a state match to complete this project. 20 This is at the Henderson Readiness Center. No questions on 21 that one, we'll go to the next.

All right. So now we're going out to Elko 22 County. You'll see this referred to throughout the 24 presentation as the Elko County Readiness Center. This is

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1 also known as the Carlin Readiness Center. And many of you 2 are probably familiar, it used to be the Fire Sights Academy. 3 All right. So we purchased this a few years ago and built a 4 readiness center out there. And now we're in the process of 5 maintaining several of those facilities that were out there at this camp.

One of the primary issues we have out there is the water and the water tank that supplies the domestic water out there. It is deteriorating. In a sense if it continues to do it, it will be a health life safety issue as far as 11 potable water out there. This one, once again, is a split. But because of the way it is funded, it is 80 percent state, 12 13 20 percent federal the way that is being used out at that 14 site. So this will take a little bit more of the state 15 funding. But, once again, federal dollars will be brought to 16 the table. We'll need that state match in order to complete 17 this project.

MR. CATES: If I could just ask you to explain 18 19 why the funding is different than the other ones. What drives that to be 20 percent? 20

MR. CHAPPELL: For the record this is Clayton 21 22 Chappell. So at this particular site we bought a complete 23 complex. And it typically, readiness center is funded 50/50 24 and supported 50/50. But there's several buildings out there

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1 Affairs talk a little bit about lighting. This is a lighting project as well as air conditioning replacement. It's over -- It's nearing its useful age there at the 20-year mark. And we need to upgrade. And particularly with the activities that we do have, our family services that operates out of this building, out of this facility. And we also have recruiting, which is there early in the morning, late at night. And the lighting there is not adequate to maintain the security and the safety that we believe the soldiers and the employees at that facility. 10

This one, I want to point out, is 75 percent 11 12 federal, 25 percent state. And that's because this is owned 13 by the Corps of Engineers. And with that the funding is more 14 federal than it is state. But we'll need the state funds in 15 order to execute this project and complete it. Any questions on the Plumb Lane facility?

We'll go to -- back to Washoe, the Washoe County 17 18 facilities. Once again we have several energy efficiency 19 type projects. This is a facility that was built in the late 20 nineties and damaged because of severe hail storms in 2016 21 caused extensive damage. We are actually getting the roof 22 replaced as we speak through previous CIP projects, so we're 23 getting that taken care of. But we do need our HVAC system 24 upgraded. There has been detections at times of levels of

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1 that we as the National Guard still are not authorized to 2 operate. So those remain on the state books. But we have 3 the staff that maintains them. Any questions on the Elko County?

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. I know our staff is working diligently on all of these projects to ensure that there's integration and when the project happens we know how it's going to roll out and so often times when we do this water tank type work, we have a tank system. 10 Can you give me an indication of how that's going to happen 11 or should we table that item for a -- with our engineer that worked on this project? 12

MR. CHAPPELL: For the record, Clayton Chappell. 13 14 I do not have the answer to that at this time, so we'll have 15 to table it and get back to you as far as the systems out at 16 that site. I do know that we have water buckets we could take out there to maintain some of the water out there. But 18 I'm not sure that that's the solution at this time.

MR. PATRICK: Sorry. Ward Patrick for the 19 20 record. We'll work together on that. That's our normal 21 business. Thank you.

MR. CHAPPELL: If there are no further questions 23 on this one, we'll go now to Reno, our facility at Plumb Lane 24 Armory, just west of the airport. I heard the Veterans 1 carbon monoxide to open up doors to get some air flow through 2 that building, particularly on the drill hole floor. This

one is a 50/50 split federal to state. Are there any

questions on that one? All right.

We'll go back down to Southern Nevada and go to Clark County at our North Las Vegas site. So our HVAC systems need some extensive renovation. While there has been work done in the last 20 years to that system, unfortunately the fan coils and evaporative coolers that were installed are 10 getting to the end of their useful life. And we'll need some 11 state funding in order to fix the system that we currently 12 have down there. Any questions?

Our next project is the one here at -- in Carson 14 City at the office of the Adjutant General at Fairview. It's 15 almost reached 17 years. And it's pretty amazing because 16 I've been there all 17 years.

But the way the system is set up, you cannot cool 17 18 the dining facility, dining portion of this, without being 19 occupied in the kitchen. So you're having a system that's 20 working -- cooling air that doesn't need to be cooled when you're trying to get people to enjoy a meal through that facility. And then there at the locker rooms and the 23 restrooms are also tied in to this system that need to be 24 redone, redesigned and a complete replacement of the elements

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1 saying, hey, you still got lights on and it's 10:00 o'clock at night. Can you start turning these things off. This is

kind of in a residential area. So we're working with the neighbors and for the most part it's been pretty good. But

5 this will help our lighting upgrade and more energy efficient at this location. There are also -- We would qualify for some energy, Nevada energy rebates on this project. This is

a 50/50 split. No questions on this one?

Our next LED lighting project, this is the Washoe 10 County Armory at Stead Airport, similar type of stuff. We're 11 working with the Reno Tahoe Airport Authority in Stead in 12 hopes of getting better lighting for our soldiers out there and maintaining the light discipline that the airport would like us to have in that area as well. This is also an ability to qualify for some rebates through the Nevada energy program. Any questions?

We'll now go to the security fencing. We were 17 successful and it had already been a master plan within the Reno Tahoe Airport's master plan of extending and expanding our footprint out at Washoe and we were successful at getting 21 several acres out there. I can't remember the number. Was 22 it 64 acres out there? And so what this project would do is 23 extend our security fencing in that area and then we're going 24 to expand parking. Because we're severely hampered by our

1 that I did mention are supported 50 percent.

Our next project is in Clark County. We've had some issue, this is the one I'm talking about that we've done quite a bit of work on the HVAC system. This is like the second or third project where I mentioned the bathrooms need to be replaced. And another thing that is critical here is interior and exterior doors.

on this particular facility. This is a 50/50 supported

We'll go on to the next one. This is a picture

of a loading dock that we don't have but we'd like one. This is our North Las Vegas. It's a fairly new facility built in

2014. There are roughly 800 vehicles that are used here.

And we end up having to go to another facility nearby to use

their loading dock, which slows down the process of annual

training or training on the drill weekends. And so we're

requesting a loading dock at this facility at a 50/50 split.

pretty well in replacing a lot of our overhead coiling doors

and we have some pretty efficient systems in a majority of

Henderson. I know we have three in Henderson. I've seen

Washoe County here at the Stead Airport. We also have one at

our Las Vegas Restoration Center. And then we have five

doors here in Carson City that need to be replaced. So this

is a statewide at various locations of replacing overhead

doors and coiling doors that are not efficient and not

24 working well. This is a 50/50 split. All of those buildings

All right. This is a statewide -- We've done

15 our facilities. However, there are some that are needed. And I think the way that it's broken down, we have three in

18 those and those really need replacement. We have one in

We do have some issues particularly in the back where the sun has damaged quite a bit of the facility and including the doors and just the in and out of soldiers going 1.0 in and out of that facility has created issues. And we're 11 maintaining -- They do need to be replaced. It's difficult to replace the current doors that are in there. So we're looking at a complete replacement of various doors at that facility. Any questions?

We'll go to another project. This is the lighting upgrade at our Las Vegas Readiness Center located at Silverada Ranch. I heard the Veterans Affairs director talk a little bit about LED lights and the advantages and all of

you are aware of upgrading. And we have some issues with 20 just the way it's currently being controlled and having 21 soldiers almost on a daily basis change some of the controls 22 23 on that just to when they come on, when they go off. And 24 sometimes they get skipped. And we'll be getting a call Page 104

1 parking out there and their ability to -- and also future construction. We do have a, as I mentioned, military construction project and we do have funding for a 2023 expansion for that facility coming up. So we obviously got the land. Now we're going to start to design and do additional construction. But we need additional fencing to secure our property. Any questions? This is a 50/50 split on this one.

All right. This one is, it's been brought up a few times with the board. Heavy rains -- And this is an 10 11 actual picture of -- And you may not think that this is 12 Henderson, but it is spring time in Henderson. We do have 13 some severe erosion problems. And this is actually part of 14 the entry way to that facility. So we've done quite a bit of 15 work over time and working with the City of Henderson in this 16 area, outside of our gate area. But we need some money from 17 the state in order to match the federal dollars to help 18 redesign and fix some of the run-off that if you've been in 19 this particular area there's a lot of -- on one side is 20 residential and the other side is commercial. And we're 21 right in the middle. And we were trying to match it with the 22 neighborhood and actually take care of the flow on and off 23 our property to make sure we've done it correctly. And 24 that's our Henderson erosion control project. Any questions?

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Next is our Carlin Readiness Center, the one out in Elko County. This is to replace our domestic water heater. So first we asked for the tank early on in a priority project. And now we're asking here for state funding in order to replace domestic hot water heaters. A reminder, this is 80 percent state, 20 percent federal. And

it's been now 15, a little over 15 years. And they're at the 8 end of their useful life. We need to replace some of that equipment. All right. 9

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The next one is drainage improvements, Las Vegas 11 Readiness Center. This was constructed in 2007, this 12 particular building and this site. We do have some existing 13 drainage channel issues. And Chad was telling me right 14 before this meeting that he's done this on drill weekends 15 where they have been out there trying to fix some of the 16 drain issues that we've had. And as you can tell from these 17 fairly recent pictures, we still have some drainage issues 18 out there. It would be a 50/50 split. At least \$57,000 from the state to complete this project. 19

Our next project, going back up to Carlin. All 20 21 of these doors look very nice. Glass panel doors are not 22 energy efficient. They reduce the overhead clearance, the 23 way they're currently designed, and have not been reliable. 24 They're over 15 years old. And the glass panels are proven

1 reminder, at 80 percent state and 20 percent federal supported request on this one.

We'll go to the next one. This is going back down to our Las Vegas, North Las Vegas Clark County facility. It is a -- While we take pride in our facilities and try to 5 build areas where the soldiers can have a little break area 7 and do other stuff than the actual training, this is a cool request for a covered patio and some shade at the Las Vegas facility. This is a 50/50 split of the support.

No questions, we'll go back to Elko County 10 11 Readiness Center. So this is a security fence, force 12 protection. We have for the most part not had any real 13 concerns out there over the years. But in particular in the 14 last month we've had issues where folks have broken in to our 15 facility and the latest was they broke in to one of our 16 facilities and trashed it pretty well and through what they were saying is blood but it hasn't been confirmed yet. The 18 FBI is investigating. And they actually not only broke in to 19 this facility, but they broke in to a couple others 20 facilities out there as well. And they eventually caught the 21 individual.

But we do not have a very secure front entry way 22 23 to this. And so we're asking for some state funds in order 24 to increase our security posture and building the fencing

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1 to be very poor insulators. And we're looking basically to 2 upgrade the system out there. They don't get as heavily used 3 as the other overhead doors that we're looking at. But these do get used and we do spend quite a bit of maintenance time and effort to make these work for us. Any questions on that? We'll go on to the next one.

We're staying out in our Carlin site. This one is water distribution that was installed without thrust 9 blocks. And we're now encountering issues 15 years or so 10 later of some of the maintenance. And this is some of our 11 maintenance folks out there working on some of the piping 12 issues that are leaking. This is a pretty expensive endeavor 13 to repair. But we know that we need to do this sooner rather 14 than later. This is, once again, an 80 percent state, 20

15 percent federal project. Questions?

We'll go down the state in to Elko County. We do 16 17 have a treatment plant out there and we're spending over a 18 hundred thousand dollars a year to operate that treatment 19 plant. It does get used primarily during the summer, summer 20 months. In fact, the Air Guard was recently out there. And 21 so it's used but it's not used as much as it can be. And so 22 we're trying to keep the microbes and keep the plant going as 23 much as possible. We need some modifications to that 24 treatment system in trying to upgrade that. This is, just a

1 that's required to keep people off of this property.

If there aren't any questions, we'll go on to our 3 next one. This is our last one. This is the last one you get to be entertained with by the Office of the Military. This is an actual picture of our floor there. And I think

Chad talked about we will ban this type of color paint on the flooring. We don't want this color paint. We don't want our 8 floors painted. We want grinded and go back to concrete that

is easier to maintain. This was built in 2007, this 10 facility. But wear and tear and bad on our part that we 11 actually painted the floor in the drill hall. We need to get

12 that ground up and put back to concrete.

And we did that in Henderson. As I said, the 14 Public Works Board has been very supportive of what we've 15 done out in Henderson. And now the soldiers will see this 16 and go how come we can't have that one in that 1970 building out there. Why don't you clean this one up for us. So this 17 is a 50/50 split federal to state dollars.

As I said earlier on, we are able, pretty 20 successful at the end of each federal fiscal year of securing 21 additional federal dollars. The problem that we have is 22 trying to match up the state dollars in a biennium. And 23 we've already completed all of our CIP projects in the year,

24 year and a half, and we have half of a year left of federal

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1 dollars that we cannot match up with state dollars. So we talked with the ward and staff about state dollars there. But if we can get additional state funds, particular these

projects here, we know we can match it up with our federal dollars. 5

If you don't have any questions, that concludes 6 7 ours

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you very much. Are there 8 any questions? Thank you, Gentlemen. We appreciate it. We appreciate you. Thanks. We appreciate your time. 10

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Good afternoon. I'm Julie 11 Kotchevar. I'm the administrator for the Division of Health 12 and Human Services. With me is Ross Armstrong, the 14 administrator of the Division of Child and Family Services, and Dena Schmidt, the administrator of the Aging and Disability Services. And we have the buildings for the Department of Health and Human Services. 17

(The court reporter interrupts) 18

MS. KOTCHEVAR: K-o-t-c-h-e-v-a-r. So the

19 20 Department of Health and Human Service promotes health and 21 well being of all Nevadans. We are made up of five divisions: Aging and Disability, Child and Family Services, Health Care Financing and Policy, which is Nevada Medicaid, 23 Public and Behavioral Health, and Welfare and Supportive

Our first department ranked number one is the DHHS office building. In 2006 DHHS employees were located in the Kinkead Building. And we're very grateful that you demolished it.

But after we left the abandoned building, we began the Health and Human Services, where we were sprinkled in to 14 locations in Carson City. Please flip to the next slide. You can see where all of our Carson City locations are. We have looked at and did a time study during a 11 four-week time period. The DHHS director of deputies and 12 administrators spent merely 57 hours traveling between 13 locations in Carson City just to conduct our business with each other and our sister agencies.

In addition, the Office of Vital Records is 16 located at Technology Way, which is in the far right corner, the Technology Way office. And that is the birth and death records for all of the citizens. It's very inaccessible to the public and it is not on any public transit lines. 19

So we have asked for a new building to be 21 constructed. This I believe is the planning dollars to construct a building to condense HHS in to a single building located next to the capitol complex along Roop Street between 24 5th Street and Little Lane.

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The three divisions that occupy state-owned buildings are the Division of Public and Behavioral Health 4 that operates the state civil and forensic mental health 5 hospitals, Dini-Townsend, Lakes Crossing, Rawson Neil, and Stein. 6

Child and Family Services provides children 7 8 mental health services on the campuses of Northern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services and Southern Nevada Child and 10 Adolescent Services and operates the juvenile justice 11 facilities at Nevada Youth Training Center in Elko County and 12 Caliente and Summit View Youth Center in Las Vegas. 13 (The court reporter interrupts)

MS. KOTCHEVAR: The Division of Aging and 14 15 Disability Services operates the two state-owned regional centers for intellectual and/or developmental disabilities: 16 Desert Regional in Las Vegas and Sierra Regional in Northern 17 Nevada.

18 We provided some slides showing that we actually 19 20 have a number of buildings that are on the statewide and a number of projects on the statewide building. We are not going to go through them, but we do have a number of 22 projects, ADA, statewide projects. The roofing projects. 23 The statewide paving. Fire and life. And fire and life 24

Our next project is for the DPBH, Northern Nevada 2 Adult Mental Health Hospital, which is Dini-Townsend, to 3 replace fire and smoke dampers. The fire and smoke dampers 4 have failed an inspection March of 2011 and were found to be 5 defective. They have been retrofitted but they do need to be 6 replaced. The hospital, the fire and smoke dampers have to be inspected every six years and the hospital is certified by 8 the joint commission and this falls under life safety code. And so that violation would endanger our commission.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Excuse me, ma'am. Mr. Patrick, maybe you can answer this question, 12 why this isn't part of a fire life safety as opposed to a CIP, part of a life safety I guess is what I'm asking? MR. PATRICK: Yeah. Normally our statewide

14 program is on fire alarms and fire suppression and not smoke 15 fire dampers. 16

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. Thank you. 17 MR. ARMSTRONG: The next project is for --18 (The court reporter interrupts) 19

MR. ARMSTRONG: Oh, yes. Ross Armstrong, 20 21 administrator for the Division of Child and Family Services. The next project is the Summit View Youth Center door 22 23 controls. It's our juvenile correctional facility for our 24 highest end offenders.

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In 2017 we had a CIP to replace about 20 percent 1 2 of the door locks and control mechanisms. This is a 3 continuation of that CIP and focuses on the wiring and the actual controls for those doors to open and close.

MS. SCHMIDT: Dena Schmidt, administrator for Aging and Disability Services. The next project is our Desert Regional Center building, 1391. This is an expansion of our lobby, in order to make this a secure location. As you can see from the picture, right now, anybody can enter and go multiple directions within the building and there's no 10 security mechanism in place. And so this is just to create a barrier between the staff and the public. 12

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Our next project is for the 13 Northern Nevada Hospital Dini-Townsend to install a panic 14 alarm system. This is a continuation of project 99-C21 15 involving the pen-scan system. And it's to help protect 16 staff and clients from extended periods of danger where they 17 would be able to summon aide if they needed it. 18

Our next project is for Southern Nevada Adult 19 20 Mental Health to replace the single pane windows at buildings 1, 2, 3A, and 6. The exterior windows are metal frame and 21 22 single pane. Some are also wood frames that are rotted. 23 Many of the windows leak water and air, affecting the heating 24 and cooling ability of the building, and as well as impact

1 served at Rawson-Neal, many of them can be placed on suicide watch and so it's very important that we have anti-ligature and tamper-resistant fixtures to prevent injury

MR. ARMSTRONG: Ross Armstrong again with the Division of Child and Family Services. Our next project is to install a perimeter fence around our Southern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services. The Oasis Buildings that you see in the picture house children that need intensive mental health services but short of hospitalization. It abuts Charleston Boulevard in Las Vegas and so the perimeter fence would help 10 increase the security and safety of the youth we serve there. 11 12

MS. KOTCHEVAR: The next project is the 13 Department of Public Health and NNAMHS rooftop multi-zone replacement. This is to replace the HVAC rooftop units 14 located on 2A, 8A, 8B, and 8C. They have reached the end of 16 their useful life due to harsh conditions and wear and tear. The compressors also use the R-22. The ozone-depleting gas 1.7 is no longer manufactured and will have to be phased out. 18

MR. ARMSTRONG: Ross Armstrong. The next project 19 20 is at our Northern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services 21 facility, our treatment facility, for youth with mental. 22 health issues, the University of Nevada, Reno campus. This 23 replaces the central plant temperature control currently 24 experiencing failing and so this would help with the climate

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1 control at that facility.

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Our next project is for the

3 boiler plant renovations for the NNAMHS buildings 1, 2, and 5. The existing outside boilers have exceeded their expected 5 useful life and should be replaced with a lasting solution and are not energy efficient. And it has -- makes the building vulnerable to extreme unacceptable temperature 7

MS. SCHMIDT: Dena Schmidt, Aging and Disability 10 Services. The next project is a multi-purpose sports court 11 shade structure. At Desert Regional we do house about 41 12 residents who reside there on the campus. And we were able 13 to a few years back get a donation to build this sports 14 structure. And this project is to create a shade structure 15 over that so that it can actually be utilized during the day.

One of the recent findings we've had in an audit 16 17 from CMS is -- has to do with our ability to provide 18 integrated and more outdoor activities for our residents 19 there. And so that's the purpose of this to make this more 20 usable, especially in the heat with Las Vegas, as we all know 21 it's needed to have the shade and actually utilize the 22 donation that we were given to build this structure. 23

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Julie Kotchevar. The next 24 project is for window replacement at Dini-Townsend Building 1

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MR. ARMSTRONG: Ross Armstrong with DCFS again. Our next project is at the Caliente Youth Center, which is our juvenile correctional facility in Caliente, Nevada. And this would replace the electrical upgrade for the school in the older building and the facilities administration building, which houses all of the administration and mental health. So we have issues with rusty conduits and it's just old and getting to the end of its useful life. It includes 10 transformers and grounding as well.

The next project is also at the Caliente Youth Center. It's to replace the gymnasium and dining area 12 13 floors. The floor in the gym is creating a hazard. It's sticky. As you can imagine playing basketball on a sticky 14 and holy gym floor. So both of these areas, the dining and the exercise, are important parts of rights that our youth have at our facility and so that would replace both of those floors to ensure that those rights are protected.

19 MS. KOTCHEVAR: Our next project is for the 20 Rawson-Neal Hospital for the restroom renovations. There are 21 14 patient restrooms at Rawson-Neal and they need 22 anti-ligature lighting, stainless steel toilets, sinks, and 23 also to replace some ceilings in the showers and wood lockers 24 and plumbing. Because of the nature of the patients that are Page 116

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1 to upgrade approximately 250 window units with dual pane high efficiency units. The windows are original single pane construction and metal frames. They're drafty and are not energy efficient and they don't properly seal and leak if we open them.

MR. ARMSTRONG: The next project is back at the Caliente Youth Center and is a chiller replacement. The air chiller and pumping system are at the end of their useful life, so replacement for the administration building which houses the computer networks and phone systems that are 10 sensitive to climate changes. 111

MS. SCHMIDT: Dena Schmidt. So the last ADSD 1.2 project we have is replacement of an emergency generator. 1.3 The project replaces the generator, the transfer switch, 14 conduits, wiring, and the concrete pad. The existing 15 military surplus generator, which was manufactured in 1951, 16 is at the end of its useful life.

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Julie Kotchevar. The next 18 project is a central plant and control system renovation at 19 20 Dini-Townsend to replace the existing chiller system serving 21 the hospital. The current system was installed in 2000 and has reached the end of its expected and useful life and needs 22 to be replaced. 23

MR. ARMSTRONG: Ross Armstrong with Division of

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The next project is back out at the Caliente Youth Center. Replacement of the irrigation main. It's 2 galvanized metal pipe and that is starting to fail at a more frequent rate, which we talked about earlier. Issues with the conduits rusting, the electrical, and so it's beyond its useful life and needs to be replaced at the youth center. MS. KOTCHEVAR: Julie Kotchevar. The next

project is for flooring replacement in our Southern Nevada Hospital to replace the existing and vinyl composite tile in 10 Buildings 1, 2, and 6. They are old and they've been sort of 11 patched where they can and they're at a point where they can no longer be effectively patched and cleaned.

MR. ARMSTRONG: Ross Armstrong. The next project 13 14 is back out at Caliente Youth Center to install sanitary 15 sewer grinder. Based on the nature of the facility, the youth there will frequently flush inappropriate items to 16 disrupt the program. And so that is causing issues down the 18 line. So we're asking to have that installed so we don't have to show you this picture ever again. That is the request out at the Caliente Center. 20

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Julie Kotchevar. Our next 21 project is flooring replacement in Southern Nevada in units 3 and 3A to replace carpet and vinyl flooring. The existing 24 flooring is damaged and has been patched but can't be

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1 Child and Family Services. The next project is window 2 replacement at our Southern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services. This is, again, where we have some youth living 24/7. And it was identified as needing replacement in the facility condition analysis that was completed in 2017.

MS. SCHMIDT: Our next project is for the SNAMHS Building 4 HVAC system renovation. This will replace the make-up air units and other units in the Building 4, the kitchen, at Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health. It's approximately 15 years old, nearing the end of its useful 11 life, and has failed numerous times, which is difficult in 12 the summer in the kitchen in Las Vegas.

Our next project is an electrical update for our Dini-Townsend Hospital to complete an upgrade replacement of 14 15 the cabling. There is new and old volt cabling spliced together based on where the remodels have happened over the years and the transformers, cables, and panels have outlived their useful life and are in need of replacement.

18 MR. ARMSTRONG: Ross Armstrong. The next project 19 is plumbing replacement at Southern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services. The plumbing in Building 7 is the original that was built back in 1974. The biggest issue here 22 is this plumbing system also feeds in to the HVAC system 23 24 which is an issue in Las Vegas.

successfully patched and repaired any longer. Our next project is to replace interior lighting 3 at the Lakes Crossing Center to replace it. It has old

fluorescent lighting to replace with new detention grade LED 5 light fixtures to provide a safe environment for that forensic facility.

MR. ARMSTRONG: The next project is at the Caliente Youth Center and it's exterior insulation and window replacement. There's the single pane windows that have been replaced with plexiglass. And so this project helps with the 10 overall energy efficiency of the building as well as the 11 comfort of the children we serve there. 12

MS. KOTCHEVAR: Our next project is for HVAC system renovation at the NNAMHS Admin Building 1 at the Dini-Townsend Hospital. This is a continuation of Project 16 07-C30 to update and replace some of the induction units and all of the controls and associated valves and piping system. 17

Some of the installation of the new chiller 19 boiler systems in that project has created a temperature 20 imbalance and has been renovated in the part that has been.

21 Our next project is also at Dini-Townsend for an 22 electrical upgrade to upgrade the electrical system in 23 Building 1. Building 1 was constructed before there was a 24 high demand for electrical use services such as computers and

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1 various other devices. And the buildings have met and 2 exceeded their electrical loads. So there's been a number of 3 safety issues including non-functioning outlets and bathrooms and sinks, missing covers that need to be replaced and repaired.

And that concludes our presentation for Health

and Human Services. 7

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you very much. And even 8 with slowing down you whipped right through that. I 9 appreciate it. 10

Are there any questions from the board? Thank

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MS. MCKINNEY: Good afternoon, Mr. Chair, Members 13 14 of the Board. My name is Amy McKinney. I'm the deputy director for the Department of Motor Vehicles and I'm here today to present on our Reno capital improvement project for 16 a new Reno office. 17

The original project was approved during the 2017 18 session and we come before you today to update you on the 19 status of this project. We've completed the advanced 20 planning through design development. And the project is going to be bonded over 20 years. 22

Due to recent unanticipated and unprecedented 23 24 construction cost and inflation, the cost of the project has Page 123

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1 of 8.66 million that are needed to complete the project. And 2 this was discussed at IFC in June of this year.

Our targeted move-in date will be Nevada Day weekend of 2020. This will allow us the three-day holiday weekend so that we don't have any interruption in service to the citizens of our state so that we can complete and close the old Reno location on Friday and then open the new one on -- I'm sorry. We'll close the current Reno facility on Thursday at the close of business and open in the new location on Monday morning to the public.

And then I've included the slides from the State Public Works projects that breaks down the total cost.

And, with that, I would be happy to answer any

questions you may have.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. I have two 15 16 questions. The first question would be were the funds being requested today originally included in the previously-funded 18 request? And the second question would be with the reduction 19 in square footage how much were we able to save as a result of the reprogramming? 20

MR. PATRICK: The -- Ward Patrick for the record. 21 22 The scope of the project is to build a DMV and have the CDL course and the two ancillary buildings. And, as was 24 mentioned, those two ancillary buildings were combined which

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1 increased since it was originally estimated.

So we've included in our presentation today two slides. This slide shows the original design, anticipated design, of the facility, which included three separate 5 buildings, one for our CDL operation, one for emission 6 control, and one for our main DMV. The total square footage on this was a little over 57,000 square feet.

Through working with the architects, once we realized that the costs were going to be higher than anticipated, we did some improvements to the design and reduced the actual overall project footprint by a little over 3,000 square feet without compromising the space or consideration for future growth. So, as you can see, we can actually provide the emissions and the CDL buildings in to one facility rather than two separate buildings.

15 So, as a result of the higher cost, the fixtures, 16 furniture, and equipment as well as the cost of paving for 17 our CDL parking lot and landscaping are being deferred to the 18 2019 CIP budget. 19

I would like to iterate that this project is not 21 funded through general fund dollars. It's highway fund, 89.9 percent. And then 10.1 percent from our self-funded pollution control budget from the emissions program.

So we're here today for a request in the amount

1 reduced the square footage. So the essence of the scope is

completed. But there will obviously be -- This will be additional funding that will be the highway fund so all of the remaining - all of the original funds will be spent. In addition to that, I would point out that the

project is -- these are items that are planned to come later in the project. And so to keep inflation from impacting the project, the project will be bid and awarded and then later receive the additional funds.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. Thank you. That's clear. I'm just trying to understand how -- what was the dollar value that the project was over budget when the estimates came in? What did we save from that budget in the 14 consolidation of the two buildings? And was that delta, the 8.6 million, referenced here?

15 MR. PATRICK: The delta is the needed funds ---16 Ward Patrick for the record -- is the needed funds for the 17 18 resulting project. It was recognized early in the design 19 process that the project was going to be out of budget. And 20 so there was a big effort with -- I think Amy referenced some 21 of these items -- a big effort with the design team and the 22 agency with our Public Works project managers to get it in to 23 budget. So there was no effort made to identify if the 24 project proceeded as originally specified what would it cost.

1 So it provided delta. CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. Thank you. I'm clear now. So this was -- This portion here, the 8.6, was something we were going to -- was going to be presented at a later date anyways? It's not a portion of scope that was

missed in a previous estimate; is that correct? MR. PATRICK: Right. We were going to -- We're being very proactive and so this is the remainder of the project that needs to be funded. 9

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. Thank you. I'm clear. 10 I appreciate it. 11

Member Stewart. 12

VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: Mr. Patrick, can you tell 13 14 us if you remember how much of this original funding was from 15 the highway fund last cycle? I remember that a large portion 16 of this was from the highway fund. But do you remember how 17 much that was?

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. We 18 have a copy of the book here. We can get that to you here in 19 one second. 20

Ward Patrick for the record. Top of this item. 21 This project is 88 percent highway funded, 12 percent 22 emissions funding. All other funding. No state bonding. No 24 state general fund. The total for the project was

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1 the project and then incorporate these items at a later date. MR. CATES: Thank you.

VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: Just one follow-up question. Has this been a general practice to use highway funds for DMV facilities or do you know any history on that, Mr. Patrick?

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record.

Correct, the DMV utilizes highway funds for all the CIP 8 projects. So you'll see later today Mr. Johnson will be submitting projects to improve the DMV for maintenance 10 11 projects. Those are anticipated to be highway-funded. We've 12 recently built the DMV down in Southern Nevada on East Sahara 13 and that was financed in a similar manner as the South Reno DMV and was highway funded.

MEMBER BENTLEY: Member Bentley for the record. 15 16 I might have missed something, but why do we have a two million dollar construction and a two and a half million 18 dollar contingency fund?

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record.

That's a great question, Member Bentley. We're looking at 20 21 being able to not have this project be subject to more construction inflation. So this request is going to add 22 additional contingency to the contingency we have. So this 23 24 new money will be available on or about July of 2019. We're

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\$42.016.797, approximately 42 million.

VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: So just a follow-up 3 question. At this point we're approaching about 40 million out of the highway fund for this DMV facility? Okay. MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. So

6 the state is very sensitive to the needs of the highway fund. 7 As it turns out, the taxes for fuel have not been raised in 8 quite some time, so there's a lot of pressure on the highway 9 fund. This project was developed as a financing instrument 10 where the highway fund is going to be paying annual payments 11 to pay off the financing arrangement, for your information.

Thank you. 12

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MR. CATES: Thank you. Based on the questions you're asking, Mr. Chairman, the back and forth, I'm not sure 14 I'm entirely clear, so I'm going to try to ask it a little 15 16 different way. So the scope of work, the commercial drivers course and the landscaping, that was or was not in the 17 original scope of the project?

18 MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. The 1.9 CDL portion and the landscaping was all part of the original. 20 MR. CATES: Okay. And this is what it was valued 21

at in the engineering proceeding? 22

MR. PATRICK: Correct. These are the items that 23 24 were going to occur later in the project to allow us to award 1 planning on bidding this project in February -- You have a 2 handout there. The notice to proceed is supposed to be in

3 May, implying that we're bidding this in February, March. 4 And these are the parts of the project that won't be needed

5 in the first month of the project. But that contingency will 6 be needed to complete the project. So that contingency is 7 for the first -- it's helping to assure the first 42 million 8 of the project goes successfully.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: I'm sorry to beat this dead 10 horse, but I still need to understand what was the percentage 11 that the project came in over budget? I'm trying to get an 12 understanding of - We had an estimate. It went to bid. The 13 bid came in at X and the delta between the two was -- that represented what percentage? 14

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. There 16 was no bid. This is still under design. But there was an 17 architectural estimate that showed that we don't have enough 18 money. And it was more of a qualitative review at the time. 19 And so we recognize we needed to come to the table and figure 20 out what was needed to provide the space they need for growth 21 and the long term needs. So the review was more qualitative 22 that led us to the conclusion that we needed to say value 23 engineer or slash optimize the scope of the project and 24 figure out what not necessarily minimum amount but what

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1 amount would be left to fund in order to meet the long-term 2 needs of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. So do we know whether the original project estimate from the State Public 5 Works Division was inaccurate or whether the design was 6 outside of the estimate? And what I'm trying to say is we've got an architect's estimate against the State Public Works Division estimate and I'm understanding there's a delta 9 between the two. So why doesn't the designer just design it 10 to the estimate as opposed to talking about -- I guess I'm trying to understand whether this is hyper-inflation or this is over-design and I'm not clear. 12

MR. PATRICK: It's certainly not over-design.

14 The square footage is lower. We've recently completed design and construction again in Las Vegas. So the DMV comes to the table very proactive on this process, understanding their programatic needs. 17

I would point out that this project had original 18 planning done in -- out of the 2011 session, some schematic 19 design. We normally on a project of this size we would 20 21 normally do design, say, out of the '17 CIP and then do a subsequent out of the '19 CIP. And it was chosen that we 22 23 would do all the planning here for this project, schematics, 24 design development, construction documents, and the

1 in to construction with. And so we would have to get back to you on what that cost per square foot.

But the point of that being that would be years

before this project was funded and so we had to take a leap of faith in using architectural engineering judgment about that pricing that was put in to this document instead of

using what we used was the instruction management at risk process to develop accurate pricing. 8

MEMBER TIBERTI: Member Lewis has an anniversary 9 10 and has to go.

MEMBER LEWIS: Have a good one, Guys.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Are there any other questions? 12 Thank you, ma'am. 13

MR. CATES: For the record, I'm Patrick Cates, 14 15 Director of Administration. I want to present to you today just a brief overview of the department and then I'll go in 16 to our number one priority. And then I will turn it over to 17 Ward Patrick. 18

So the Department of Administration consists of 19 20 several divisions. We primarily provide services to other 21 state agencies. We have administrative services and provide 22 fiscal services to state agencies, enterprise IT services, 23 fleet services, grants, hearings and appeals, victims of 24 crime, human resource management, library archives, and

1 public records division, public works, purchasing, and risk 2 management.

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And our number one project of the Knowledge and 4 Innovation Center is the project for the Library and Archives 5 and Public Records. The Nevada State Library, Archives, and 6 Public Records Division provides comprehensive government and information services to state and local government and Nevada citizens through relevant and efficient library archiving and

I had a YouTube video. I'm not going to play 10 11 that, for the sake of time.

Really, their main functions are to provide 12 13 professional reference and research services for their 14 collections. They serve as research information needs for 15 state agencies and statewide library and literacy 16 communities. They administer federal grants and state funds 17 for libraries statewide. They have a coordinating role. 18 They set standards and regulations for libraries. And 19 they're custodians of the historical records of the territory 20 and state government going back to 1851. They also 21 administer the state records program. They establish records retention schedules, provide records, consultation to state and local governments. And that also fits in with the 23 24 archives.

1 construction of the same project. And so normally we would defer construction so we have a better estimate going in to the construction time frame. That's kind of point A what would normally happen.

And then point B here regarding inflation, we underestimated the dollars per square foot of the building and we have underestimated the months to construction. And so those -- so there's a pricing impact and inflationary impact that wasn't accounted for on the project. 9

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Okay. Thank you. 10 11 Member Tiberti.

MEMBER TIBERTI: Ward, Tito Tiberti for the 13 record. Does this in any way compare with the one we toured 14 on Sahara in Las Vegas? My question if it does, just 15 broad-base thought process, what was that square footage and 16 what is this square footage? What did that cost a square 17 foot and what does this cost a square foot? Is there any similarity and we can just go through those two things to kind of bring this to a head here?

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. Thank 20 21 you, Tito. That was the trap we fell in. We were -- This 22 program is very close to the program on East Sahara. And of 23 course that project occurred years before and we hadn't had 24 this preliminary design work to establish a good number to go

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So the next slide gives you an overview of where the library is located. You can see it circled in red in the middle of that slide. That is on Stewart Street. And you can see it as directly adjacent to the state capitol, which is on the left. And you can see all the trees around the state capitol there. And directly to the south is the Supreme Court. So it is very central right in the middle of the state capitol grounds. 8

This is a view of the building from the east looking towards the capitol on Stewart Street. That's the 10 lobby. And this is just another view to give you a sense of 11 the exterior of the building and what it looks like. 12

The history of the library and archives building. 14 It was designed in the late eighties, early nineties. It was commissioned and opened in 1992. It's approximately 130,000 15 square feet. It is a landmark building very recognizable in 16 the heart of the state capitol complex. And it was the first 18 building specifically designed to host the library and 19 archives. And it also included training and conference rooms.

20 And when it was originally built, it was entirely 21 for the library and archives division. They occupied the 22 23 whole building and there was a lot of public space and a lot 24 of agencies came in for training and events. It was used

1 really an aspirational project for the state and I'll get in 2 to why in a moment. The building is definitely due for a 3 refresh. But I think we have a unique opportunity to really 4 make this building the catalyst for change in state government to really level up the work force of the state to be innovative and increase productivity. It's a great asset that the state has right next to the capitol and it's not being utilized to its full potential today.

So what do we want this library to become? You can see an overall floor plan with the ground floor of the 11 building. This, if you fund this, we will hope this will 12 become the Nevada Knowledge and Innovation Center for better 13 government with a focus on government and improving

government services. 14

Just to basically give you a little outline of 15 this floor plan, if you can see over to the right-hand side the sort of what you would call that teal-colored floor space, that is the ground floor of the library today. That's 19 the main library floor. Today that library floor is covered with stacks of books, microfiche, a lot of material that is fairly likely used. 21

As part of this project, most of those 23 collections would be put in to closed storage. They would 24 still be available to patrons. They would be retrieved by

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1 pretty extensively when it was first opened.

And then the economic downturn, you know, hit state service pretty heavily and it also hit the library and archives programs. The training conference rooms were closed. The south wing of the building was converted in to state offices and cubicle farms for other agencies, so spaces that used to be public spaces were put behind secured locked doors for IT staff doing sensitive work and having access to data. And so a large portion of the building got closed to the public.

The state library and archives division 12 suffered -- I shouldn't say suffered. They had staffing decreases and program reductions and they reduced the operating hours of the library and the archives. It was a decade of stagnation of programs and diminution of their purpose and relevancy to state government.

16 After 25 years since its opening approximately and ten years since the great recession, it's time for a 18 refresh and rebirth in the Nevada State Library and Archives

And I just want to say, you know, having spent 21 the last two days listening to all of these requests from 22 agencies and a lot of very practical and critical things they need to shore up existing infrastructure, I see this as Page 136

1 staff and stored in the basement as part of this project. 2 And instead, we would replace it with meeting rooms, collaborative work space, research space, so that it's a functional space for state agencies to come and work and do research.

The green portion is the lobby that you saw looking at the pictures I showed you earlier. That space today is a very lightly used space. People use it to transit from the capitol and back. Not a lot goes on there. Occasionally there's ceremonies. We would do some pretty significant renovations in there.

11 The orange space, the orange space on the 12 13 right-hand side currently is housing our ERP project office. 14 That's part of the library itself. And then the orange space 15 to the left is an outdoor patio, which currently has nothing in it and it's never used for anything. It's a large nice 16 paved patio area and it's not used at all. 17

The yellow portion is the, actually the ground 18 19 floor of what was originally the state printing office. It's 20 one of the oldest buildings on the capitol grounds. When 21 they built the library, they incorporated that building 22 around it. And if you excuse me, I really need to get some water. Excuse me. Okay. Sorry about that. 23

On the far left-hand side, the blue area,

currently those are offices, those are offices for enterprise IT services. They're behind secured doors. The Office of Cyber Security is in there since it's a secure area. And all of those white spaces, those are meeting rooms. We did for quite a while have staff in those locations that we recently moved out so that those rooms would be available to the public.

Another thing I just wanted to point out very 9 quickly, we saw the request from Health and Human Services to 10 build a new Health and Human Services building. And we also 11 have a request that we'll get to for Department of 12 Administration to build a new building if I can just jump 13 back for a second to this slide here. So everything to the 14 left-hand side of Stewart Street where that -- where the red 15 marks are, all of that is state property all the way down to 16 DMV and the master plan calls for buildings to be built in 17 that space. That's why we tore down the Kinkead Building in 18 preparation for building new buildings. And you can see as 19 you saw from Public Safety and DHHS that you have agencies 20 scattered all over the city. And I think as we consolidate 21 that and build new buildings, having this facility right here 22 centrally located will impact how we design those buildings 23 and may reduce the size of those buildings possibly and would 24 certainly impact, like, meetings rooms, meeting space, that Page 139

1 they have available to people both in the library and 2 without.

We need to develop state employee capability and effectiveness. We need to equip state employees with the 21st century skills and abilities. And we need to facilitate a 21st century work place. We want this building to be a showcase of state of the art technology, video conferencing, and collaborative work space.

We want to facilitate lean state government. And that means we want to foster a culture and process improvement. And, you know, Lean Six Sigma is one method of process improvement that's been around for decades and it's widely practiced in the private sector. It's certainly not the only discipline for process improvement but it is widely practices and it is a practice that is spreading amongst states on my peers. That they're all trying to foster this culture in a very systematic way to get employees to think outside the box, not think in terms of just doing things the way they've always done them but to really get them to work collaboratively and figure out how to make their process better and improve them.

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be catalyst in assemble and will give Nevada that competitive
dege in engaging employees and recruiting and retaining

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sort of thing that we would design with having this resourceright there at the end.

So the Nevada Knowledge and Innovations Center for better government or the KIC as we're calling it. So the purpose of the project is to foster a state culture of innovation and excellence across agencies to make government better as follows: To restore the vitality of the state library and archives to make it a 21st century library. And what that means, 21st century library, all of the library community nationwide is going this direction. It's still about books. It's still about research, but they are 12 using -- they are redesigning their libraries to make them 13 spacious for collaboration, for incubators, for people to 14 come in and level up their skills in an informal way. 15 They've really become part of the work force developments 16 across the nation. And the state library has a particular 17 focus on state agencies. So it's a really great opportunity 18 to recast their programming to focus on development of the state work force for state employees. 19

We need to optimize accessibility of Nevada's unique information resources and knowledge. What that means is we need to make more material available on line. We do have different resources, but we've been pretty slow in digitizing those. That will make a lot of the resources that

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1 employees. It will also track the interest of the vendor 2 community, kind of get them to participate in this. We 3 really/want to facilitate public private properties in this 4 building through demonstration projects, proof concepts, and 5 process improvement activities, particularly the IT vendor community. We have very strong relationships with a lot of really cutting edge technology companies in the state and 8 they make a pretty good living off of the contracts that they have with the state. And I have been since we've been 10 working on this project engaging those companies in informal 11 conversations about supporting this project and they've been very receptive. And I think there's a great possibility of monetary contributions, of participation to really allow state employees and the vendor community to work in a 15 thoughtful way to try to improve government without the confines of strict RFP process. We can do a lot of things with demonstration projects, proof of concept, or we can just 17 work with vendors to explore ideas that can really be impactful to the state going forward. And this facility is meant to be a resource for all state agencies. 21

KIC partners. This is a library and archives project. But the facility will be used by several different partners. The state library itself will provide staffing, informal training opportunities, research assistance, and

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1 overall management of the facility programming. Human resources. They are already responsible for employee development training. They have a managers academy and a certified managers program. Those are our sort of flagship programs that we offer in the state. Some of that training already occurs in the building. But they're very limited on space and it's very difficult to level out those trainings with the amount of space that's currently available. They basically have one small training room that they do most of that training for today. 10

State purchasing, we talked about engaging in the vendor community. We want to -- State purchasing has 13 requirements to train state employees, as does the grants office. And, frankly, most of the divisions in Department of Administration have statutory requirements to provide training to state agencies. But as regard to state purchasing we want to use it to host vendor events, particularly IT vendors that will go around agency to agency and try to do one-off deals with each agency, which I don't blame them, that's fair. But I think that we could really leverage that with inviting them in and have all the agencies come to one place and enter in to more enterprise agreements that are statewide. We have done some of that. We recently

24 did Office 365 as an enterprise agreement. Got really good

And, again, other agencies that we've talked to are really excited about the opportunity to have this resource. Agencies, even big ones, they're limited in their 5 training space, meeting space. You know, this room is an example. When we created the video conferencing capabilities and what you see here today, demand has really outstripped supply. This room is used week in and week out by a multitude of agencies that were just clamoring to get some space to have meetings. So you can see it becomes a complex. You've got this room, you've got the library and archives 12 over there with other meeting rooms all connected together with video conferencing and technology. I think there's a 13 lot of demand for this among state agencies. 14

And I just want to show you a few slides. I 15 don't want to spend too much time on this. But I just wanted to give you some of the renderings that were done by the architect. This is a lobby area. As I said, right now it's very stale and empty. If you walk through there you're not 19 going to see much of anything. Information booths, places for people to sit and work. That black object on the wall 21 with the state seal is intended to be a very large LED 22 23 display that we could put programming on. This is looking 24 the other direction towards the library. You can see the

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1 pricing as a result of our ability to collectively offer this, the entire state business and not one agency. The vendor community, I think I spoke about that.

Smart 21. Smart 21 is our ARP project. We are about to launch the RFP for that to replace the state's 6 20-year-old financially charged systems. That office is 7 located here. They are already beginning the process and 8 improvement discipline. And we do hope that that office will eventually evolve in to a statewide office project management and have a lot of activities in this building.

I skipped higher ed. So higher ed, we've been in discussions with officials at higher ed about how higher ed 12 can partner with the state for work force development for 13 state employees. We view them as a source of interns. We 14 want to have a lot of interns in this building to work on 15 projects for agencies. And we are also exploring state training, the certification programs. We're in discussions right now about a certification program for financial management for state government.

The HR working group. HR working group was 20 21 commissioned by Governor Sandoval to look at work force 22 development for state government. And that group continues 23 to meet. We have a draft report we're working on. They've 24 looked at a wide variety of initiatives and they are very

1 addition of some stairs on the right-hand side, which would allow direct access to the second floor. It doesn't exist 3 today. You have to go deep in the building and upstairs to get up there. The space off to the left, like I said, right now that's our project office. We want a food service in 6 there, so as people come here to do activities, they've got somewhere to grab some food. We've taken a call to call that 7 The Governor's Grill.

This is some renderings of the space that is currently the ground floor of the library. It's all of that 11 collaborative work space and meeting rooms that I mentioned. Just to give you some visualization of what that looks like. 12

This picture is a multi-purpose conference room 13 14 that was on the south side, the left-hand side of the big 15 diagram that I showed you. It's currently offices. We can 16 have a big conference room in there that is about as big as 17 this room. So we would have another additional space for 18 agencies to hold their events.

And on the second floor -- And just keep in mind, 20 this is a big building. This project really only impacts the 21 ground floor and the north end of the second floor. So the 22 second floor you can see on the diagram the big yellow area, 23 that is the state archives. That will not change. We 24 wouldn't change that at all. But all of the space you see to

1 the right of that, the kind of blue and orange and green 2 spaces, this is different types of collaborative work areas, 3 meeting rooms. Today that is where we house our government 4 documents collection. And there is, you know, it's lined with shelves and federal documents. We are a federal document repository. But, frankly, the federal government doesn't produce paper documents anymore. So the collection that is in their stack. And, again, we wouldn't get rid of that collection. We would put it in closed storage.

We have had some discussion about transferring it elsewhere, UNR, for instance, collects federal documents as well. But we think the space could be much better utilized 13 as functional collaborative space. Just a little bit of renderings of what that space looks like.

And with that, that's what I have for this 15 16 project. I just love that picture. You know, my office is 17 basically from this perspective. And stepping out there at 18 night to get in my car when the lobby is lit up and the capitol is lit up and the mountains and it's quite striking. And, as I said, it's a unique resource that the state has. 21 It's time to be refreshed, so let's refresh it the smart way that can leverage what we have to make government better and to make it more efficient. 23

Any questions?

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1 started last biennium. We got the permission to do the 2 design and schematic for our Southern Nevada Fleet Services facility. This facility is located just east of the Grant Sawyer facility in North Las Vegas. And it comes as approximately about 6,150 square feet.

Just to give you guys an idea of who Fleet Services is, what we do is we're the division that provides safe and environmentally-friendly and cost-effective ground transportation solutions for all state employees.

Services provided. We have a total of 1133 vehicles in the State of Nevada for Fleet Services. Of those, there is 585 vehicles in Southern Nevada and Las 13 Vegas. And of that we have 37 of those that are in our short 14 term rental operation. We operate -- We are a maintenance facility and a rental facility. And especially in our Las Vegas location, which is just south of the airport. 16

Last fiscal '18 we increased our Las Vegas vehicles by 104 units or 104 vehicles. And currently our shop tech to vehicle ratio is about 98 to one. So for every mechanic, I have a hundred vehicles that I have to - that he 21 has to work on.

Some of the services that Fleet Services 22 23 provides, we provide maintenance, long range fleet planning 24 for all agencies, all state agencies, the acquisition and

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VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: Could you tell us a 2 little bit about the private -- I see it's a 50/50 split proposal. Can you tell us a little bit about the private

MR. CATES: Thank you for the question. So, as I 6 said, we really want this to be a public private partnership. We don't have any firm commitments for funding at this time. 8 We wanted to be able to bring forward a project that shows there is some stake in it. I have had a lot of discussions 10 with interested parties, companies, who have made investments 11 in things like this in the past. We -- In fact, pieces of 12 this presentation, there's a big package that we're putting 13 together with the architect that worked on this with us and 14 we're going to really start hitting the ground running, 15 trying to secure donations to make this happen. And, you 16 know, it's a lot of money. We don't have the mechanisms to raise money the way, say, NSHE does, but I think there's 18 enough interest on this that I think we have a really good shot at raising this money. 19

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Director.

20 MR. BURGESS: Chairman, Fellow Board Members, I'm 22 Robbie Burgess. I'm the administrator for Department of Administration Fleet Services. And that's R-o-b-b-i-e. I'm 24 here to present today a facility that has come and has 1 disposal of vehicles, vehicle reporting, fuel, fueling and cleaning. We also do accident subrogation at our facilities

along with risk management. We help them out as well.

Our division philosophy is to provide state agencies modern solutions to solve their transportation needs in a cost effective way to utilize technology, strategic fleet management, and the industry best practices to enhance our customer experience.

The division partners closely with the private sector to ensure that we provide our customers very efficient care. We take care of the majority of our vehicles. But on occasion we do have to outsource a lot of our maintenance 13 that we do on vehicles such as warranty work. We don't perform any warranty work. When the manufacturers are 14 responsible for it, we don't need the state to pay for it. 15

We provide all types of vehicles. Sedans, sport 16 utilities, police vehicles for Parole and Probation, and 17 Transportation Authority, light duty trucks, heavy duty 18 trucks, and vans as well. 19

We currently, Fleet Services, encompasses about 20 21 15 staff statewide. Like I said, we are servicing with just our fleet vehicles 1133 vehicles. 585 of those are in Las 23 Vegas. Currently Clark County, the state work force is just 24 over 8,000 employees, which comes in about 45 percent of the

1 state -- state work force.

We currently have three facilities, one here in Carson City, Reno, and Las Vegas. And the new Las Vegas that we're proposing is next to Grant Sawyer, which is way up

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Fleet Services miles traveled. State vehicles did about 10.3 million miles last fiscal year. Our short term rental fee is up to 12,400 rentals, daily rentals. And then our vehicle requests are about 3250 work orders that we complete on state vehicles.

Here I just wanted to -- Like I said, we've gone 11 in to the -- we are approved for the schematic design. And 12 the face of these are some of the views of the proposed facility next to Grant Sawyer. This is looking from the 14 southwest looking northeast. The Grant Sawyer facility would 15 be to the left of that. And this is, likewise, looking from 1.6 the northwest looking southeast. This is showing the entry 17 way of the entire shop area. 1.8

Go ahead. This is another view of the facility 19 that we're proposing for. And another view looking from the 20 southeast. And here's a site aerial view of the proposal. You can see the Grant Sawyer facility in the upper right-hand corner and the large parking lot that separates the Grant Sawyer from the proposed Fleet Services facility. 24

1 then we have commemorative articles. And so we maintain that 2 in the building right behind the capitol here and we have for 25 years now.

And so what we're trying to do is we're trying to keep up with the load of records that are coming in. And I know that for the past 20 years we've been talking about how paper is going away and digital records are going to become 8 the thing that we're going to be doing. But we still deal with a lot of paper records, a lot of paper records. And so we're proposing to complete the building.

Next slide please. The building was completed in 11 1992. And what we had done is from the archive storage space is half the space was compact shelving, high density shelving. And the other side was traditional shelving. Because we tried to save money even back, you know, 25 years ago when we tried to build it. And that was kind of our records center at the time. And the archives all fit in 17 to -- they didn't even quite fit in to the other side and we 19 thought that we had to design the building for 25 years of 20 growth. And now the growth is catching up with us and we're 21 going to have to put compact shelving on the other side.

We have a records center in the downstairs of 22 23 that building that holds about 41,000 boxes of records. Not 24 all of these records come to the archives. Only about four

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And that's it, Gentlemen. Do you have any 1 questions? 2

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. The only question I have is it looks like there's a small solar farm on the property but I didn't see it in the budget for that. I just wondered if I was missing something.

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record.

That's an existing 50 KW system that will remain in place. 8

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you.

MR. BURGESS: Thank you. 10

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MR. KINTOP: Good afternoon. I'm Jeff Kintop. 11 I'm the administrator for the Nevada State Library and Archives. And I'm kind of a resident memory of state government. I've been at the state archives for 35 years. And so we are -- we are the agency that takes care of the state's historical records and things that need to be kept for a long period of time. We've got several laws that 17 18 require all the records from the governor's office come over at the end of their terms. And the secretary of state's 19 records come over after a certain period of time. Other 20 agencies have record retention schedules that require these 21 records that are long term in nature and document the 22 decision-making process in the State of Nevada or just 23

24 celebratory things that are just kind of fun to look at. And

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percent of all records created by state government come to the archives. Otherwise, they're kept for legal terms, financial reasons. Basically, criminal justice records get kept for the lifetime of the individuals assuming that they're going to be committing crimes late in life. And so they need to be kept for a long period of time.

Once we decided to -- Once we expanded that in 1997, we moved to things that will eventually transfer to the archives up to the archives.

So, what used to be the records center when we 11 first moved in, those are now boxes that will be transferred to the archives probably in the next five to ten years.

12 So we want to put the compact shelving on both 13 14 sides of the aisle. Basically it will give us room for 15 growth for probably another 25 years based on the growth that 16 we have right now and the fact that records are diminishing 17 because of electronic records. We're not printing. Unless 18 you print them out, they don't exist on paper. And so we're going to do that on both sides of the aisle. Simply it's 20 just moveable shelving, high density moveable shelving. It's 21 on tracks. It's motorized. It's very simple to use. We had 22 our first compact shelving installed in the old state 23 archives, which was just behind the stone building behind the 24 capitol here, the old state printing office. And that back

1 in 1986 and we had very good luck with that product.

So basically what used to be regular shelving 3 will be -- That's the layout for the storage and it will

basically increase our storage by probably about almost 18,000 boxes of records.

Simply put, we change from this to this. So we basically double the size of the storage on that side -- on 7 that side of the aisle. 8

Increased storage. It handles any kind of format 10 that we have. Those are -- For many, many years the state 11 was supposed to keep its official records in well-bound books 12 and that's where we keep them in there, in well-bound books. 13 It's really interesting.

14 And so we're going to continue to preserve 15 Nevada's documentary heritage for at least another 25 years. 16 And by that time maybe we will be all digital by that time. Is there any questions? 17

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, sir. 18 MR. KINTOP: But I'm not finished yet. Jeff 19

20 Kintop, administrator for State Library and Archives. Okay. 21 Once we put the records center in the basement of our 22 building over there, we can accommodate 41,000 boxes of 23 records. And we started thinking about what people were

24 saying. But there's a lot of government located in Southern

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1 there. It keeps records in a safe secure storage. Everything is computer retrievable. Everything can be found.

It's really better than having things in your own filing

cabinet in your office because we can locate those things right away.

This was going to be planned to be the Nevada's West Sahara Complex behind the metro building which I think the Department of Agriculture now has. And so just behind the parking lot there is that space is available and could fit the footprint of the building that we were planning. So the top left picture or the top right picture shows the

record storage area and what we were planning on doing. And this is what the artist concept was of the 14 building with a loading dock and temperature control because

the documents need to be protected.

Right now they're taking up office space and 17 rental space and people are renting, you know, rental units 18 to store their records and it's not a good environment for 19 them.

And in 2002 it says that the storage record 20 21 center in Southern Nevada would free up about \$560,000 22 annually in existing office space, self storage units, and 23 commercial storage cost. Well, I checked the building rent 24 in 2002. And even though in 2011 we gave up about a third of

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2 to put a facility in Southern Nevada by the mid-1990s. And 3 we did some site studies about right after the Grant Sawyer 4 building was built. And nothing really came of it until we 5 had the division of -- the Division of Audit basically 6 said -- they came and they said 41 percent of state government is in Southern Nevada. And they can't -- It's

1 Nevada and what are we doing for them. So we started to plan

8 impractical for them to ship their records up here for 9 storage. Because if they need those records retrieved, we 10 have to send them back via mail. And we have a lot of

11 confidential information that we just can't be shipping back 12 and forth. And so we would be looking for a facility since 13 about 2002.

We basically with this, our project was approved 14 15 in 2007 to build -- to build a state records center down in 16 Las Vegas. And that's in the economic downturn. And it was 17 either lose 12 employees or give up our CIP. So we gave up 18 or CIP.

So we introduced it again in 2015 this time with 19 20 partners with the Department of Agriculture and the 21 purchasing division in 2017. And then those partners basically found other facilities and so now we're by ourself 23 asking for this again, this planning. So that's another 24 picture of our state records center what we're proposing

1 the building, I'm still paying the same rent. So that rent 2 went up since 2002. And so I'm going to say that it will 3 save over a million dollars annually. We don't have a study 4 on that. But just based on the cost of that. So it will 5 basically save the state money in the long run. Any 6 questions?

MEMBER TIBERTI: Tito Tiberti for the record. 8 The Southern Nevada building, did I hear you say anything about a price to build it, plan in building it?

MR. KINTOP: For the record Jeff Kintop. This is 11 just the planning stage. So this is for planning and design. 12 The original building that we were planning with partners was 13 going to be about 30 -- Let's see. Okay. The construction 14 cost would be about 7.8 million dollars to build. We were 15 going to use a steel building on a slab rather than using --16 building a traditional building. Because it's actually more 17 like a climate-controlled warehouse than it is an office 18 storage place. The current project is only \$465,000 for the planning and design. 19

MEMBER TIBERTI: Thank you.

20 MEMBER HAND: Member Hand for the record. I'm 22 curious. Where did the partners go that were with you at the 23 last CIP? And are they out renting an expensive space or are 24 they in other state buildings?

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1 duct work and the air handling units on the roof. Again, 2 this building is 23 years old. Those are the original

3 systems. Some plumbing systems and renovation of the

4 building.

As a result of some of the sewerage upgrades, the floor would be impacted and so there's floor tile removal, and the current carpeting in the facility is 23 years old.

That would be replaced as a result of this project.

9 A lot of the vertical pipe chases would need to 10 be accessed. A lot of the vertical pipe chases would need to 11 be accessed and, therefore, there would be wall recovery, 12 wall demolition, and wall repairs to be made.

In order to do the piping upgrade, the ceiling would need to be replaced. You see that as item five in your book.

Item six relates to the storage in the building.
It turns out that the slope of the sewer underneath the floor
slab barely meets minimum code and is causing problems in the
lower levels of the building. As a result, we would be
looking at saw cutting the floor and replacing that line to
improve the slope. Therefore, we would be required to have a
lift station and some exterior work. And that's included in
the site utilities item number six in your book.

Various other items include a restroom upgrade,

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4 their dry food storage building. And I think they found a
5 refrigerated space somewhere else for their -- for their -6 the food that needed to be cooled down.
7 Purchasing it did not -- The site plan did not
8 allow them to store too many vehicles. And they have
9 vehicles that they surplus out. So they needed more of a -10 They needed a space that had more parking around it as well.
11 So they -- I think they used the space that was available to
12 them and it was a state space and they were able just to fix
13 it up to be considerable.

1 MR. KINTOP: For the record Jeff Kintop. The 2 Department of Agriculture took that electrical building that

3 is -- that faces on to Sahara and they turned that in to

MEMBER HAND: Thank you.

VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: One more question for you. Sean Stewart for the record. So I just want to make sure I understood you correctly. We're looking at a seven to eight million dollar climate-controlled warehouse. And when we get that operation we would save over a million dollars in current rental. Is that -- Did I get that correct?

MR. KINTOP: That's correct. Thank you.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you.

MR. PATRICK: Mr. Chairman, Ward Patrick for the record. Thank you, Board, for hearing these department

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projects.The first project is the Department of

3 Administration, item number five. Grant Sawyer office
4 building refurbishment. This is a large building in Southern
5 Nevada, 224,000 square foot facility. Originally opened in
6 1995. Originally this project had quality problems coming
7 out of the chute and those problems continued -- continue in
8 recent times. And investigations were completed by various
9 indoor quality experts. And this process revealed a lack of
10 maintenance on the structure during those years. And,
11 therefore, work was done to do the carpeting in the building,
12 replace various valves that were leaking, keep the ceiling
13 tiles in order where if there were any leaks that would be
14 removed so that the mold wouldn't grow inside the building.

removed so that the mold wouldn't grow inside the building.
During some of these investigations it was noted
that there was failing piping underneath the floor slab,
failing piping in some of the ceiling spaces, and mechanical
duct work needs.

As a result of that, the Public Works Division
enlisted our engineering and architecture staff to develop
the project before you in the capital improvement program
book. So you'll see here 16 major construction items,
including item number one, the mechanical systems renovation
for 9.5 million in today's dollars. That is to replace the

electrical lighting camera and guard access, life safety
 signage. The elevators, I believe there's five elevators in
 this building, two of which are largely inoperable at this
 time.

Server rooms have been placed in this building by the using agencies and not been incorporated in to the HVAC system. And so we have systems fighting each other within the building.

Zone control has been an issue in the building on a periodic basis. There's funding in here available for that. And while we're here, we would do a slurry seal on the parking lot of this project.

So this is an effort where the internal staff of
Public Works took a look at this building and said what if
these system failures, these pipe failures that are in the
ceiling are widespread. What would we do for a project? And
so this is the result of the project based on a couple of
days of investigation by a number of our staff members and
then a few days of cost estimating and scoping out the
projects.

Since that time we've approached the Interim Finance Committee with a proposal to use existing funds to further study the engineering systems and also further study alternatives for the ultimate disposition of the building.

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1 So that will be a space of overlapping process where we're 2 right now authorized to do engineering systems evaluation. 3 And as that is being completed, the results of that would be used to do an architectural systems options evaluation.

So the architectural options evaluation include 6 three R's. Repair, which might be what you see here, this 56 7 million. Might be more. Might be less. But there will be a 8 more intense for a 4,000 hour -- This study will be 4,000 9 hours of effort that clearly the Public Works Division has to put in with our existing staff. So we've got this repair 11 option that will be more or less than this \$55,000 item. 12 We're looking at reprogramming the building, which means we 13 would be possibly demo the building down to the floor slab 14 and create a more architectural pleasing interior of this cavernous facility. And that project may include elimination if it's been in the building there's an atrium in the building. And so it might be a possibility of getting more 17 usable space, making the building more efficient. So that's two of the R's, repair, reprogram. And then there's the 19 20 option of replacing the building.

And so this study that we're conducting here, 21 22 there's a contract that is moving through the approval 23 process. We've got a consultant on -- a series of 24 consultants with engineering contractors and architects ready

1 widespread.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. And I guess my second question then is why we're asking for 56 million dollars versus a much smaller amount of money for investigation in the engineering and what not that you

MR. PATRICK: Yeah. Ward Patrick for the record. Sorry for not making that more clear. We now have authority to do a study of up to \$500,000 of study money. And so that would be this engineering systems evaluation and the 11 architectural options evaluation. So we're proceeding with that, preparing to modify this, if necessary.

And for the record, that -- what minor impact 14 that would make to this project, some of the systems 15 evaluation within this project would go down on some minor 16 amount.

MR. CATES: For the record, Patrick Cates. If I 17 18 can just add one thing to keep in mind that of that 55 19 million dollars, almost 10 million of it is related to the 20 HVAC system. We have an approved project that proceeded to 21 do some of the work for the HVAC system as well as roofing in 22 the current biennium. And so even without the other issues 23 that have come to light in the last year, we would still be 24 coming forward with a sizeable chunk to continue that work.

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1 to begin work starting in October. This study is planned to 2 be completed in early January. And my conclusions should be

forthcoming before the legislative session in early February. So that's this project. If you have any questions on this

little guy

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: I do have a question, a couple of them, actually. The first question is, was this building 8 constructed by the state originally 23 years ago? And if the answer is yes, I'm curious, in 23 years systems need 10 replacing and maintaining and upgrading. But they rarely 11 need to be completely gutted and overhauled. So I'm just 12 trying to understand what happened with this particular building.

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MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. This 14 is a state-constructed building that was funded in the CIP in 1991, completed in 1995. It's surprising for us that largely 17 this project is driven by some of the piping failures. And 18 so we believe these are premature failures. And our current 19 level investigation hasn't resulted in any conclusions about why that's occurring or if it's widespread or if it's

isolated. So the first step is to do that and call it engineering systems investigation to see if those systems are widespread. And as part of that we track down the source of 24 that piping if indeed there's -- the premature failure is

Page 164 And if I could just add on to this, I think it

2 came to my attention in the fall of last year based on tenant 3 complaints of some of the issues that we were having. That's when Gus Nunez was still the administrator and Chris Chimmits

5 and I and others spent a lot of time listening to the issues 6 that people were having. There have been complaints about mold. We had to do an investigation with an industrial --

8 with an industrial hygienist, but we also engaged with a doctor of occupational health. And that process is ongoing.

We have been told that the building is not unsafe for

11 habitation, but there are a lot of concerns among some of the 12 tenants about the suitability of the building.

And in the process of doing that we discovered 13 14 that the leaks were coming from the AV valves. And enough 15 money was found in the current HVAC project to replace those. 16 But in addition to that we replaced the valves but we found that some of the lines are corroded. And, again, we don't

know how significant that is. We've also seen numerous 18 cracked drainage pipes throughout the building. 19

Just as an anecdote, we talked about this with 21 the Board of Examiners, the Secretary of State is on the top 22 floor. And when we put the new chillers in on the top floor, 23 there were drains that had not been used, cover drains, and

24 then pulled the drains open and flushed the chiller with

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1 department rank number six. This campus is on Sahara. And 2 you'll see in red the Bradley Building, the new Sahara DMV

3 that was discussed earlier as a model for the south Reno DMV. The building was constructed in 1975. And all 5 the building components are antiquated, including the structural systems. This building has been unoccupied for

several years and it's a possibility that is considered to be

renovated to be occupied again.

Structural system. So for instance if we were --Sorry about that. New areas in the Sawyer building, which we just talked about, that's a vintage 1995 building.

Structural systems will be adequate to be reused at this 13 building. That building was reprogramed. Here at the 14 Bradley building, this is a 1975 vintage building, and would 15 require certain seismic upgrades as part of the renovation

16 project.

So this is a nearly 19 million dollar project and 17 18 the project would demolish the building's exterior skin and interior systems to its structural core and it will also make 20 structural and seismic upgrades to form with the current 21 codes. The roofing, mechanical, plumbing, electrical, and 22 life safety systems will also be replaced. The building 23 systems are beyond their useful life. The exterior is not MR. CATES: Library and Archives is a 25-year-old |24 energy efficient. And this project will bring the building

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1 building.

MEMBER TIBERTI: So they're the same building --2 3 I mean the same. And you didn't seem to indicate anywhere 4 near these kind of problems. This seems like an aberration 5 or something abnormal. I mean, I'm staggered by this. So you have to do what you have to do to make it correct. But this was not done right in the beginning. I don't know what it could be. But this is a lesson. Thank you.

1 water before firing it up and those drains had cracks in them

2 and it leaked water through the ceiling and light sockets on

5 And so it's really come to light that the building is in need

probably the worst case scenario.

to the Secretary of State's office, just as an example. And

we found those here, there, different places in the building.

of some significant help. We just don't quite know to the degree that it is needed. And I think the 55 million is

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick. To add to that, so

we're looking at this project, this is not all response to

the immediate concerns. This is response to this is a 23-year-old building and we're looking to take it in to the

future. So this will be an answer for a major maintenance

signed all of this off. Because this makes no sense to me.

So I would like to find out who okayed these pipes that don't

meet the elevation standard for the drainage. This seems

iust incredible to me. I've been in that building. I know

it. But 20 -- Patrick Cates, how old is your building over

here? You started off talking about where you're at behind

MEMBER TIBERTI: Perhaps we could use the records 16 department of Southern Nevada to find the inspector that

items for 20 years -- for the next 20 years.

MR. PATRICK: Final comment on this. Michael Johnson will be up here with Buildings and Grounds and there 11 will be two or three other projects that will be presented 12 and it may be that some project needs to be implemented in 13 the next CIP to bridge, you know, because if this building is operational for four, five, six more years before this 15 projects come to being, there might be other CIP's that need to bridge that gap. So just a heads-up with those projects 16 being forthcoming. 17

If you're ready, Mr. Chairman, priority number 18 19 six. As I was discussing, this project will be -- my presentation here will talk about repairs, talk about 20 21 reprogramming and remodeling and talk about some new construction or replacement buildings. 22

So this building is all about reprogramming. 23 24 This is the renovation of the Bradley Building. It's our 1 back to a usable condition. Any questions on priority six? MEMBER HAND: Member Hand for the record. How many square feet is the building?

MR. PATRICK: This building is 28,000 square 4 feet. 5

MEMBER HAND: About ten percent of the Sawyer 6 7 building?

MR. PATRICK: Correct.

MEMBER TIBERTI: Tito Tiberti for the record. I 10 thought I heard at the last meeting six months ago or 11 whatever it was that that building might be demolished and 12 start over. Am I misunderstanding what their discussion 13 might have been?

MR. PATRICK: That is also an option and we'll 15 see here later in the presentation that that would be 16 necessary if another large building were built on this site.

MEMBER TIBERTI: Second question is what type of 17 18 use do you think you would put in this building and if you 19 were to redo it and tear it down and start over would it be 20 the same use and what would, just in your guess right now, 21 two, three, four years from now the square foot cost for an 22 adequate building to start over again, what would that be 23 roughly as compared to what this is going to be and would you 24 make it bigger for other uses for future growth or question

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1 the idea? Really what we're talking about or tearing it down and starting over or what makes sense?

MR. PATRICK: This building was used for office space in the past and it was built in 1975, approached office space. And so the current layout is highly inefficient. There's a core for inner circulation and then there's another core for more circulation within the building. And so this project would bring it in to the higher efficiency, 60 or 65 8 percent efficient building or higher. 9

This project has costs very comparable to new construction costs. And so this building is seen as though 11 it may be value in the historic preservation community and we're being sensitive to that with this project.

MR. CATES: For the record Patrick Cates. If I 15 could just add to that. I know that the plan was to demolish the building and build another building at that site of a 16 sufficient size that you would need to tear down that 17 18 building for the parking. That certainly is a viable option. That was the former administrator's intent.

I asked that this be revised, resurrected for a 20 consideration to renovate in part because of the historic preservation value. We've got a lot of feedback from 23 historic preservation community about the building. And the 24 issues that we're seeing in the Bradley Building -- I'm Page 171

1 another site plan for the capitol complex. In red you can see the former location of the Kinkead Building. That's the proposed new site. To the north you see the EICON building, the current location of the Public Works Board meeting, and the Fleet Services building to the right. Going around counter-clockwise, we see the Nevada State Library and Archives building, subject of the KIC project. There will be projects recommended at the Blasdel building. There will be projects recommended later for the capitol building, Nevada Supreme Court as well. You see the legislative facilities, 10 state printing office, Department of Education, state mail 11 12 and information technology group, and rounding out would be 13 the employment training and rehabilitation building. That 14 slide shows a facsimile of where that building would go.

This project is planned to be 100 percent other 16 funding. Planned to be using the lease purchase procurement 17 method. The building is estimated to cost approximately 74 18 million dollars and the professional services are planned to 19 be approximately nine million dollars. This would design and 20 construct a hundred thousand square foot building at the 21 capitol complex for the Department of Administration. This 22 project also includes a demolition of the Blasdel building, 23 which would be after move in. Furnishing fixtures are also 24 included in the project.

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1 sorry. Not the Bradley Building. The Grant Sawyer Building 2 and contemplating phased construction over a period of time, 3 this seemed like this could be a good option to provide some relief to that building.

The last tenant moved out a couple of years ago. It was Business and Industry. And they did a long-term lease for ten years. It's possible they or somebody like that can 8 come back and occupy this building. I can tell you I don't 9 know the square footage off the top of my head, but we have a 10 very large square footage of private lease space in Las Vegas and I'm confident that we could fill this building.

MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. A 12 13 brief leased option space analysis would let you know that 14 statewide there's approximately two million square feet of 15 lease space, of which in Las Vegas we have over 750,000 16 square feet of lease space. And decreasing order in Carson City there's approximately 700,000 square foot of lease 17 18 space. And then in Reno accordingly in square feet. And 50,000 in Henderson in a quarter million for two million 19 20 square feet of lease space. That will be a segue to these purchase projects. 21

The next project, department rank number seven, 22 administration building at the Kinkead site in Carson City, 24 Nevada. This is department rank number seven. Here's

The Department of Administration is currently 2 housed in several state-owned and leased facilities throughout Carson City. Centralization of various agencies within a single facility will create greater efficiencies to 5 the operations of the department. This building would allow the department to vacate the Blasdel building, which is in need of multiple upgrades that are not economically feasible. Once the building is empty, it can then be demolished. As the Department of Administration moves in to

10 this new building there will be other spaces vacated on the 11 capitol complex and other agencies would relocate from this 12 space. Any questions?

Department rank number eight is the advanced --13 14 I'm moving to number 11 here. We got a little out of order 15 in the book. This is a state office building in Las Vegas 16 that has options of being located at the Grant Sawyer site 17 for the Sahara site that we were just looking at previously. You'll see in this slide, in this next slide,

18 you'll see the Grant Sawyer office building and Fantasy Park 19 and also the 50 KW of solar affordable tanks. 20

Here is an idea of where the building would go. 22 In the red you see the proposed leased purchase Department of 23 Administration building as well as you see a proposed Fleet 24 Services building that Robbie Burgess was discussing earlier

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1 name is Mike Torvinen and I serve as the 2019 Reno Rodeo 2 president. And we're in the midst of our hundred year celebration. 3

Today we're presenting a plan to do some advanced planning on a master plan concept we've developed at what we call the state fairgrounds on Wells Avenue and Sutro in Reno. We do have a video that I have not presented to these guys. Mr. Patrick has it. It's about four minutes. Mr. Ward has offered to show that if you'd like.

What we're trying to do is move past that 10 11 conceptual master plan in to some schematic drawing so we can 12 further estimate the cost of building this facility that 13 we've created in our mind and base our master plan. It's a 14 pretty grand plan and we think it has a lot of merit.

A little history on the site. In 1887 the state 15 16 legislature appropriated money for the purchase of that land 17 and there was a trust established to -- for the promotion and 18 encouragement of agriculture, horticulture, mechanics, 19 manufacturing, stock raising, and general domestic promotion to Nevadans. 20

In 1951 that property was leased to Washoe County 21 22 and they were included in that lease is the requirement that 23 they maintain that trust and properly maintain the property. 24 And Reno Rodeo was specifically mentioned in that lease as

2 East Sahara campus. You see the recently completed Sahara 3 DMV on this site. You also see in the very center of this graphic you see a blank spot. That's where the old DMV came

1 for the department. The other alternative again is on the

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Looking at this site plan, we can see the

Department of Agriculture and the proposed agriculture warehouse, the new Sahara DMV, The Bradley Building that was discussed as an earlier priority, the proposed Department of 10 Administration building, which is the topic of this project, 11 and the records center for Nevada State Library and Archives as well as the McLeod building. And unlabeled at the north 12 section of this state-owned facility is the Department of 13 Employment Training and Rehabilitation building. 14 15

There's been some effort to further this project. That's the bird's eve view on this next graphic. And so 16 within this graphic you'll see the proposed lease purchase 17 building on the right and the agriculture warehouse building 18 on the left, and the new DMV located in the center graphic.

This project is very similar to the prior 20 project, approximately 80 million dollar building with nine 21 million dollars of planning required. And, again, would be a hundred percent other funded project by the lease purchase 23 procurement method.

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1 one of the uses of the property.

In 1986, Washoe County and Reno Sparks

Convention, the Visitors Authority, entered in to a 3 4 management agreement whereby the Convention Authority would 5 then manage the property and again was responsible for the

6 maintenance of the property. In the early and late eighties, the Convention Authority issued some bonding and built what is now the

indoor arena at the facility. And our master plan -- In our 10 master plan that's the only building we would intend to 11 remain on the site and would be refurnished and rehabilitated

to be as grand as the rest of the facility. 12

The Public Works Board did a facility condition 13 14 analysis report. And there's about 16 million dollars of deferred maintenance on the property right now. If we were 16 to pursue this plan, you could probably save about eight million dollars. Because, again, the only thing we would 17 intend to keep is that indoor arena. 18

Reno Rodeo has spear-headed this project with the 19 20 intention of creating an events center that goes well beyond 21 Reno Rodeo and well beyond rodeo itself. We believe the 22 center itself could be a major events center that would 23 benefit the entire Northern Nevada community. Outdoor 24 concerts, conventions, rodeos other than ours of all types

The state agencies are continuing to expand and this is expected to continue through the next biennium.

2 Weighted average leasing costs are in the Las 4 Vegas area \$1.88 per square foot per month. And the average 5 market in the area is \$2.10. And so what you see there is 6 that the smaller buildings warrant higher lease rates. And so this project could be funded with some savings from the current cost operating building versus the rates that are being paid. Any questions on this project?

VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: One quick question. Sean 10 Stewart for the record. On your layout of the Sahara site, 11 12 you've got the proposed Department of Agriculture warehouse. 13 And then you have ranked as number one, I think number one 14 was the library up here. What ranking is that Department of Agriculture warehouse? 15

MR. PATRICK: That's a good question. So that's 16 17 Department of Agriculture rank number one. So the Department 18 of Administration is the KIC building. So sorry for the confusion on the label in there. The Department of 1.9 20 Agriculture presented earlier today and they had a freezer project and that project. 21

ĆHAIRMAN ĊLÚTTS: I don't see any other 22 guestions. Thank you. 23

MR. TORVINEN: Good afternoon. For the record my

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1 that we think we could target. College finals rodeo would 2 fit in with the schedule, high school finals rodeo, national high school final rodeo, circuit finals.

But beyond that we think it's a -- we are

believing we've created a vision of an events center that could go well beyond all of that but be a major hub for high end and world class equestrian events. Bring those back. We've had some in the past. They've wandered off. Some are coming back, which is going to be some success. But we think we need to move on and create a nicer facility for the future and the benefit of the Reno Sparks community.

We think it would put beds and heads and we're 12 13 willing to participate any way we can. Again, we spear-headed this effort. We paid for the advanced planning 14 15 or the master planning document and video. And the other 16 funding you see on this project estimate would be most likely 17 coming from Reno Rodeo. We set aside sufficient funds to cover that amount. I can't act unilaterally for the group, 18 but we did set it aside for this purpose. And I would take 20 it to our board and get a formal vote to go ahead and support 21 this project.

I would be happy to answer any questions you 22 23 might have. I appreciate your time. We understand this is 24 the afternoon of the second day of your hearings.

1 office who looked and said ves they agree that it's at the end of its useful life.

And next, number ten, is also the Grant Sawyer building. This project would look to change out the existing card access system to its original to the building construction. It is no longer supported by the manufacturers. So at this point we are unable to add people or doors to the system. And at any point if we lose one of 8 the control panels or a tenant in the building would be controlled security at ten percent of our building. 10

The court reporter interrupts)

MR. JOHNSON: And as each one of these panels fails because they are no longer supported by the 13 manufacturer, they're of age to be replaced. They will lose 14 control to 80 percent of our building. 15

Next, number 12, we're moving to the DMV in 16 Carson City. This project is related directly to the 17 purchasing warehouse. It would repair the failing concrete panels and the other concrete portions of the building. Also 20 we would replace the concrete ramp stairs and railings and do 21 the repairs and finishes to the exterior of the building as 22

Next, for number 13, we would move to the 24 Marlette Lake water system. This project would provide for

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CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Any questions? I happened to watch the video. And grand is an understatement. It looks like a pretty awesome center. I'm hopeful that it gets built. And we'll leave it at that. Thank you.

MR. TORVINEN: I appreciate the support. Thank 5 6

MR. JOHNSON: Good afternoon, Mr. Chairman, Members of the Board. My name is Michael Johnson. I'm the facilities manager for the State Public Works Division. And 10 what I'm here to present to you are the remaining 41 projects 11 out of our top 50 concerns. And I promise to get through 12 these auickly.

First on our list, we start at number nine, Grant 13 14 Sawyer building. You've heard a little bit about that today. 15 This project would replace the existing fire alarm systems. 16 Also perform some maintenance on the smoke detectors. The 17 alarm panel itself is the original to the building 18 construction. It's been entirely problematic over the last 19 12 to 18 months. We've got 127 trouble alarms that we've 20 experienced. And we've also experienced during the month of 21 July, August, two unannounced fire alarms, had to evacuate 22 the building, which has caused disruption to the state's 23 business. And also this comes under the recommendation of 24 both our fire suppression department and the fire marshal's

1 the replacement of three surface water catchment basins, 2 number one and number two, and these are catchments. There are actually seven up there currently. Replacement of the three additional catchments is expected to increase water flow from its current flow of 350 gallons per minute to a potential of 700. I'd just add a note, the system was originally designed to only carry 350 gallons per minute. So this would be an increase for what we would provide for the Marlette water system.

1.0 Number 14, this project would replace 11 approximately 3.5 miles of the 18-inch water transmission main with a new 24-inch ductile iron transformation main from 13 the diversion dam to the Sawmill site. As you can see from 14 the pictures, the existing pipeline, besides being in service 15 for over 70 years, we've got bands in place to mitigate some 16 of the leaks. It is right where the pipeline is beginning to 17 slough off the mountain. And, in addition, some of these 18 sections have been partially crushed by wildfire response vehicles. It's definitely in need of a refreshment. 19

Next is number 15, is also the Marlette water 20 21 system. This project would provide for design and install 22 controls, metering, and associated instrumentation of the 23 diversion dam, as well as providing some safety handrails for 24 personnel protection.

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Just below to show what's in place now, which is a manual, and it's really tough to activate and extremely hard to find in the middle of winter on the right-hand side see where these have suffered damage.

Again, number 16, Marlette Lake water system. This project would provide for advanced planning for design through construction documents to replace the 2.6 mile long eight-inch main transmission line from the total catchment to the diversion dam with the 12-inch line. And currently the existing inch transmission line is more or less insufficient 10 to transport the current off load.

And when we go back to look at item number 13 12 13 with the enhancements made to three catchments, that will definitely begin to oversupply that supply line. So you 14 won't be able to capture water even though it's available. 15

Next, these two projects, number 17 and 18, these 16 also are related to the Marlette Lake water system. Project 17 number 17, item 17 rather, would replace the small 15 KW 18 generator. And at the end of its useful life supply power to the control systems and also maintains the charge on the 20 batteries that sparks the large generator. 21

And with regards to the large generator, that's 22 project number 18. And this project would replace that 23 generator as it's also at the end of its useful life. Along

1 life at Lake Tahoe and Washoe Lake Basins if they should 2 fail. And as another point of interest, both of these dams 3 are 140 years of NH. And the one on the left, the picture, has suffered abuse of the dam.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: I've got a quick question with respect to the lake. What's the amount of water being held 6 in that reservoir?

MR. JOHNSON: Marlette Lake itself holds 4500 acre-feet of water, if I'm not mistaken.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you.

MR. JOHNSON: Thank you for the question. Moving 11 on to number 21, we come back to Carson City area and look at 12 building 89 out at the Stewart facility. This project would replace the air cool chiller, chilled water pumps, piping, piping, and associated piping accessories, temperature controls. The chiller itself is in excess of 20 years old. 16 It's at the end of its useful life. And this particular 17 chiller uses R-22 refrigeration, which after January 1st of 18 2020 will no longer be available in the United States. 19

Number 22, DMV, Carson City. This project would 21 provide for the advanced planning through construction 22 documents for replacement of the central plant, chilled and 23 hot water distribution piping, air handling units, terminal 24 units, and computer cooling system at all of the buildings at

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1 with the generator we would change out the motor and install 2 any transfer switch.

And as a note to be made here, the Marlette water 3 system in addition to serving water to Carson City is the only source of water for Virginia City and Storey County, so it's pretty important that we maintain this.

Moving on to 19, again, Marlette Lake water system. This project would design and construct a vehicle bridge across the Hobart Reservoir spillway. The project includes grading, site grading, installation of a 10 prefabricated bridge structure and replacement of riprap. 11

And if you look at the picture below, during times of off flow or significant off flow, the road that 1.3 crosses the spillway is washed out, and that's the only means 14 of access for maintenance. 15

Again, Marlette Lake water system, number 20. 16 This project would provide design through schematic design 17 documents to rehabilitate both Marlette Lake and Hobart 18 Reservoir dams. The full scope includes assessment of 19 existing conditions, regrading, replacement of riprap and 20 spillway repair and discharge piping and valve repairs. 21

It's important to note that failure of these dams 22 23 would not only interrupt water supplies to Carson and Storey 24 County, but it would potentially damage property and endanger Page 184

1 the DMV facility in Carson City. And, in essence, as you'll 2 see as we go through the rest of these slides, the boilers, 3 the chillers, associated piping and what not, it's in excess of 20 years old and at the end of its life. And that basically pertains to the rest of them. 5

So next we'll look at our ranking of number 23 and 24. That's the Henderson DMV respectively. And also down at the bottom you will note that I put in the ranks of 25, 26, 27, and 28, which refer to the capitol, the attorney 10 general's central plant, the Laxalt central plant, the 11 Donovan DMV. And they all have HVAC equipment that's in 12 excess of 20 years of age. Hard to maintain and at the end of its useful life. 13

Belrose building, Las Vegas, same thing. We're 14 15 looking at the package units to replace them. They're more 16 than 20 years old and have reached the end of their useful 17 service life. And right at this point it's fairly difficult 18 to maintain any level of temperature comfort or air quality 19 standards because these units are constantly going down and 20 we've replaced two AC compressors recently.

Again, with the Belrose building, this project, 21 22 number 30, would replace the plumbing throughout the 23 building, copper water lines periodically spring active leaks

24 and these sewer lines are rusting through and are leaking

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1 through the no-hub fittings.

Project 31, also for Belrose, would upgrade the 3 electrical and low voltage communication systems. Those systems are in excess of 45 years old and are original to the 5 building. They're overloaded and well past time to be replaced.

Next we have 33 and 34. These projects would provide for the seismic retrofits of the old Armory building 9 here in Carson City and the attorney generals -- Excuse me. The Hero Memorial Building and Annex. This project provides for structure seismic reinforcement of those buildings. We're looking for planning design for those. And that's the 12 last two buildings at the capitol complex that require 13 seismic retrofits.

VICE CHAIRMAN STEWART: Just to comment on that. 15 16 I don't know if you're just trying to keep us awake here or 17 not, but that's a great photo. I'm not sure if it's in 18 downtown Carson City, but it's very effective.

MR. JOHNSON: Thank you. And the project for the 19 20 Heroes Memorial Building and Annex would provide valuable 21 office space which are the capitol complex as well as both of 22 these would contribute to the historic preservation of the 23 downtown area.

24 Next we'll look at some various buildings for

Moving on, we have 44, 45, and 46, various building site drainage improvements. These projects would

provide design through construction documents to improve 3 drainage at the Stewart facility, which is pretty much as flat as this table. Reno Purchasing Warehouse, which is flooding areas on the west side of the building. And the

attorney general's building, which constantly because of where it's located, we have water retention in these areas.

Number 47, this project is for the Bryan building exterior envelope rehabilitation. We -- This project 10 includes repair, replacement of the exterior building 12 envelope components, which would include the roof membrane. exterior insulating wall finishing system, parapet coping flashing, and also re-caulking or re-gasketing, on the current wall system to keep the water out.

Next at 48, Reno Purchasing Warehouse. This 17 project would replace the existing 140 kilowatt generator 18 with a 500 kilowatt generator transfer switch. Currently the 19 generator, despite being 20 years of age, it's also 20 overloaded and cannot pick up and carry the third walking 21 clean box area. So if we have a power failure, the generator 22 itself fails. It's just not large enough to carry the load. 23 Number 49, back to the Grant Sawyer office

24 building in Las Vegas. This project would replace the

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1 elevator replacements. This includes several. The Belrose

2 building, the Laxalt, the EICON, the Blasdel, and the NSLA.

3 For the most part, these elevators are original to the 4 building's constructions. And with regards to the Belrose

5 and Laxalt and EICON, the elevators are really old. They

6 were installed in roughly 1955, so we've got 62 years of use 7 out of them. It's time to upgrade and put in some nice

planned features along the way.

Next, capitol building, number 39. This project 10 would replace the deteriorating and exterior concrete 11 breezeway and stairs. And I'm sure we all have probably 12 walked on this between today and yesterday. So, again, this 13 would eliminate a safety hazard and so the idea is to prevent 14 and future safety.

Next items, number 41, 42, and 43, that includes 15 16 the Library and Archives, Blasdel, the Supreme Court, the 17 attorney general's office. These projects will install 18 cameras and recordings systems in and around these office 19 buildings where they currently do not exist to upgrade what's 20 currently there. These buildings are visited by elected officials and they're high ranking individuals and so the upgraded camera systems would provide proof of coverage and also the ability to record in case of an event and can be 24 reviewed by capital police.

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(The court reporter interrupts)

MR. JOHNSON: Replace the eight roof-mounted air 4 handling units. And they are approximately 23 years of age. Those are original to construction of the building and it's frequency is they've exceeded or met their useful service 7 life.

And last we have Blasdel building. This project 9 would replace the distribution panels, feeders, receptacles, 10 lighting, and communication systems throughout the building. 11 And this is actually a continuation of another project that 12 was conducted through Public Works where they had installed a 13 new electrical service to the building. So this makes sense 14 to continue that.

So that concludes our review of Department of 15 16 Administration's top 50 priorities.

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you. Are there any

18 questions? Thank you. MR. PATRICK: Ward Patrick for the record. The 20 last eight or ten projects for the Department of

21 Administration relate to the statewide programs, so we have a 22 prioritization system that we use for the roofing systems,

23 for ADA systems, responding to Department of Justice 24 concerns. There's fire and life safety items in there where

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The UNR engineering building, the third item, is 2 under construction. And the expected date of completion was

June 22nd of '20. And the current expected date of completion is three days after that. So pretty close on that one. 5

Looking at the Southern Desert Correctional

Center, unit 8, that was urgent project for Department of Corrections and that project is being delivered four months early. It's under construction as we speak.

Nevada State Veterans Home, the original expected 10 completion time frame was around Christmas of this year. And 11 we've had some time extension and construction. We're about 37 days after the expected date that was established approximately 18 months ago. 14

We're working together with UNLV on the medical 15 16 school project. And we believe we've established a good schedule here. So this schedule that you see in this line item for project 17-C15 will be used as kind of a milestone vardstick for the success of that project. It still needs to go in to schematic design. It needs to get approval from the legislature for a base. 21

The final three projects are the planning 22 projects that the university system discussed. And the 24 reason that I present the anticipated notice to proceed or

administrator's report on agency activities. MR. PATRICK: Thank you. Ward Patrick for the

1 fire alarms are failing or buildings don't have suppression systems. We've included those in here for your review.

We've got the advanced planning program which enables this

book to be completed with impromptu engineering and architectural studies as well as our staff completing its due

diligence. We have a paving program in there. And in recent

years we've not recommended any paving or any paving

maintenance. And so those are continuing to degrade.

program. And without going in to any further ado on those,

those are the statewide programs at the end of the book here

CHAIRMAN CLUTTS: Thank you, Mr. Patrick.

Are there any questions before we move on to

15 Agenda Item Number 10. Moving on to Agenda Item Number 10,

And the final item in here is indoor quality

for the Department of Administration.

17 18 record. First item on agency activities would be the last activities presented, we discussed six or eight new 19 employees. And those new employees have been actively 20 working and doing due diligence presenting this book. 21

And some of the leadership that came about from 22 there was Mr. Bruce Nip, our mechanical engineer, who is our 23 24 interim deputy administrator. And he was sitting halfway

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1 back here throughout most of the day yesterday. And so he is planning to retire. So I'm sure he's on line right now listening to this and I would just like to thank him very 4 much for his 32 years of service to the Public Works 5 Division. He was the glue that kept our contract documents together, provided a lot of policy movements for the agency, and initiated a lot of these mechanical systems being operated in a timely manner. And so I would like to thank Bruce publically for his years of service. 9

A little bit on the activities of the 11 construction projects that we've provided. I gave the board a handout of the various projects that have construction 12 activities. And so that's for your review. I would comment that, as stated earlier, regarding the timeliness and delivery of these projects, the DMV Reno facility, the first 15 item on the list, based on the agency's request to meet a Nevada Day opening, this project will be delivered three months later than what was anticipated a year and a half ago. Public Works Division submitted schedules on these major

of finance and so this one is three months late. 21 Looking at the second item, the Speedway 22 Readiness Center, we're three months early on that project. 23 24 Expected delivery is May of 2020.

projects to the governor's office and the governor's office

1 expected certificate of substantial completion date is so that you're aware of the inflation that was applied to those projects for the projects that are in there. There's 24 months of anticipated inflation. Those projects, that ten percent annual percentage rate was applied until the mid-point of construction.

Final two items on projects that I would offer is if you want to make a note of this, if you're available on February(sic) 17th, the Northern Nevada Veterans Home is 10 having a ceremonial ribbon cutting. That's in the afternoon 11 at 5:30 p.m. on December 17th. We can get these to you in 12 e-mail as well.

And then there's a wounded warrior memorial. 14 There's approximately 800 to 900 service men from Nevada that gave their lives and this is a memorial to honor them. And that is planned for a couple of days before Veterans Day, November 9th. In the morning there will be a reception at

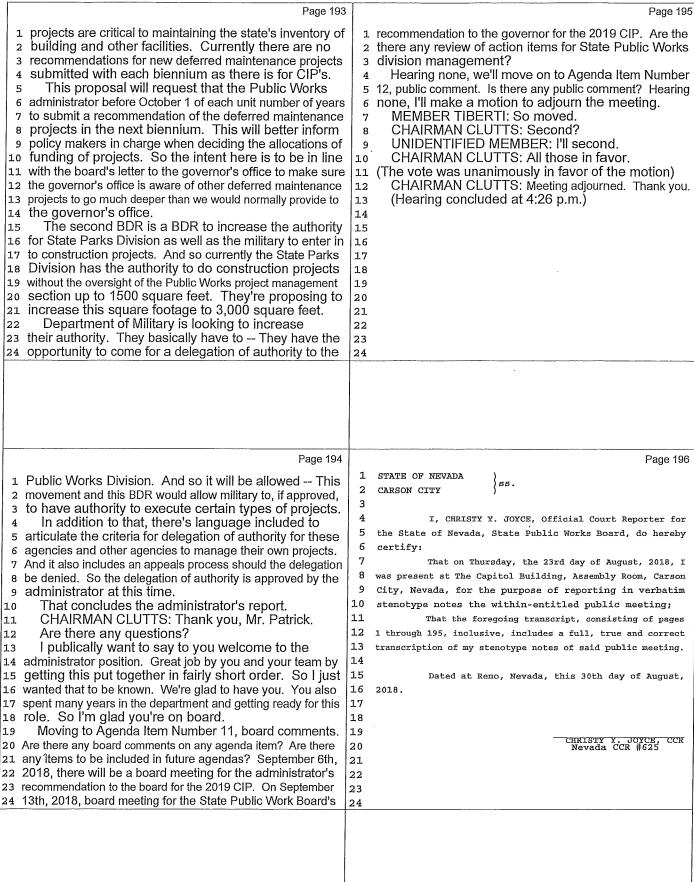
9:00 o'clock and a ribbon cutting at 11:00 o'clock. The final item would be at the last board meeting 20 we talked about various BDR's that were being considered. 21 And as a result of work with the executive branch, there's a 22 couple of items that will likely be on the governor's 23 approved list of BDR's. This item is -- There's two items 24 within this BDR, in summary. The deferred maintenance

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## STATE PUBLIC WORKS BOARD ACTION ITEM REQUEST Meeting of December 18, 2018

Agenda Item #3

## SUBJECT TITLE:

For Possible Action: Acceptance and approval of Public Works Board meeting minutes for

August 22 & 23, 2018

-Attached

September 6, 2018

-Attached

## DISCUSSION:

Construction Law Counsel has reviewed the August 22 & 23, 2018 meeting minutes and recommends the following changes:

#### August 22, 2018

- 1. Page 25:12 change "to" to "do"
- 2. Page 29:23 delete "As"
- 3. Page 32:11 change "say" to "a"
- 4. Page 49:3 "if" to "in"
- 5. Page 51:8 "upgrading" to "operating"
- 6. Page 52:23 "with" to "as"
- 7. Page 54:8 "\$300,000" to "300,000"
- 8. Page 54:22 \$5,000" to "5000"
- 9. Page 55:22 "use" to "lose"
- 10. Page 60:8 "raise along" to "appraisal on"
- 11. Page 63:3 "squat" to "swat"
- 12. Page 65:14 "sprig" to "spring"
- 13. Page 67:14 "doors" to "dollars"
- 14. Page 75:17 "implication" to "implementation"
- 15. Page 75:18 "that guide on" to "the tide on"
- 16. Page 101:10 "flight" to "point"
- 17. Page 105:4 "through" to "three of"
- 18. Page 109:10 "side" to "site"
- 19. Page 123:12 "max" to "match"
- 20. Page 126:4 "uphold" to "upgrade"
- 21. Page 136:1 "exterior" to "idea"
- 22. Page 137:4 "Elcor" to "Elkhorn"
- 23. Page 141:2 "solutions" to "solution"

#### August 23, 2018

- 1. Page 5:8- change "reduced" to "replaced"
- 2. Page 8:17- change "times" to "providers"
- 3. Page 19:5- change "rounds" to "grounds"
- 4. Page 25:21- change "plan" to "plant"
- 5. Page 27:13- change "know" to "to"
- 6. Page 29:2- change "do" to "deal"

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7. Page 39:24- change "ward" to "warden"
8. Page 45:24- change "comp" to "cost"
9. Page 63:3- change "bubble" to "trouble"
10. Page 67:24- change "saddle" to "sally"
11. Page 72:12- change "get" to "good"
12. Page 80:10- change "except" to "funded"
13. Page 93:7- change "Chimmits" to Chimits"
14. Page 97:2- delete "Sights"
15. Page 109:2- change "ward" to "Ward"
16. Page 135:21- change "likely" to "lightly"
17. Page 139:16- change "on" to "by"
18. Page 140:3- change "properties" to "projects"
19. Page 144:7- change "a call to call" to "to calling"
20. Page 157:13- change "considerable" to "suitable"
21. Page 161:16- change "its" to "you've"
22. Page 162:19- add "of" between "level" and "investigation"
23. Page 167:20- change "form" to "conform"
24. Page 169:12- change "value" to "valuable"
25. Page 172:20- change "affordable tanks" to "panel arrays"
26. Page 177:12- change "beds and heads" to "heads in beds"
27. Page 179:5- change "to its" to "that's"
28. Page 182:2- change "any" to "new"
29. Page 183:3- change "of NH" to "old"
30. Page 187:7- add "floods" between "constantly" and "because"
31. Page 190:6- change "movement" to "improvements"
32. Page 193:20- change "1500" to "1000"
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Construction Law Counsel has reviewed the September 6, 2018 meeting minutes and recommends the following changes:

## September 6, 2018

- 1. Page 5:14 "ward" to "Ward"
- 2. Page 13:22 "being into our" to "any air"

33. Page 194:2- delete "movement and this"

- 3. Page 17:13 "all" to "falling"
- 4. Page 17:15 "offering" to "operating"
- 5. Page 25:14 "plan" to "plant"
- 6. Page 28:1 "column barium" to "columbarium"
- 7. Page 41:1 "Shawn" to "Sean"

#### PRIOR ACTIONS:

None.

## FINANCIAL IMPACTS//ISSUES:

Not applicable.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS:

Approve or deny the August 22 & 23, 2018 and September 6, 2018 meeting minutes as amended.

#### **ACTION ITEM:**

Motion to approve or deny the August 22 & 23, 2018 and September 6, 2018 meeting minutes as amended herein OR as further amended by the Board.

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